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Democratic Rally at Rudolph.

The democrats will hold a rally at Marceau's hall in the village of Rudolph on Thursday night. William E. Wheelan, candidate for member of assembly, will address the meeting. All are invited to attend

—See Ed Frye in his solo act in Mahara's minstrels next Tuesday evening.

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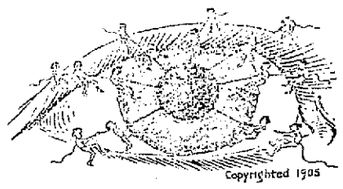
Death of Milton Munger.

Stevens Point Journal:—"Milton H. Munger died at his home in the town of Plover, near Meehan station, Saturday morning, Oct 10 The funeral was held from the Meehan church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, with interment in the local cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Williams of Grand Rapids.

"Mr. Munger, who was aged 74 years, had been a resident of Portage county more than forty years. He had been in poor health and a sufferer for several years, and in a conversation with the writer a few weeks ago said he was merely waiting for the last summons and did not care how soon it came. His last illness, however, was only of a weeks duration. Deceased was a life-long Republican and for many years a Republican county convention was hardly considered complete if his name did not appear in the list of delegates from the town of Plover."

Mr. Munger was well known in this city where he visited quite often, and has many friends here who will be sorry to hear of his demise.

He is survived by a wife and six daughters, Mrs. E. D. Tuttle of Bruce, Mrs Wm. Burrows of Plainfield, Mrs. John Watertown of Amherst, Mrs Wm Harroun of Biron, Mrs. Percy George of Nekoosa and Miss Agnes who resides at home. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Tuttle and Mrs George. The funeral was held in the church Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Miller officiating. The pall bearers were Andrew Lutz, R. W. Parks, P. Phillco, Chas. Benson, B. Fox and C. Cradle.



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LOOK FOR THE RED FRONT

Our Nominee for Clerk.

Frank Leuschen, whom the democrats have nominated for County Clerk, is a man eminently fitted for the position which his friends wish to place him in.

Mr. Leuschen was born in Germany in 1866, and came to America in 1882, he being alone in a strange country at that time. He secured work on a farm in Iowa, at which he remained until 1886 Having received a fairly good education before leaving his native country, he now attended St. Francis Catholic Normal school until 1888 when he came to Wood County and engaged in teaching at Hewitt, where he remained for eleven years, going from there to Bakerville, where he has since lived



Mr. Leuschen is not a politician in any sense of the word. He has been honored before by his party by a place on the ticket, but he has never left his work of teaching to make an active campaign for an office. As a consequence he is not as well known as others who have made the run, but this does not detract any from his ability. Where Mr. Leuschen is best known he is well liked, which is demonstrated by the length of time he has remained in one community.

A vote for Mr. Leuschen will be a vote for a good man and nobody need be afraid to do this for him when election day comes.

Krieger-Tomczyk.

(Contributed.)

One of our well known Polish citizens was married last Monday at St. Lawrence's Polish Roman Catholic church.

Ignatz Tomczyk, known to our younger generation as good old "Nick" married Miss Mary Krieger, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Krieger, proprietors of the Farmers' Home on Second Avenue.

The ceremony took place at the Polish church, Rev. Korczyk officiating.

The party left the young bride's home at nine o'clock. On the way to church Jim Gibson met the carriages. He waved his hand and shook his head as if to say: "Not for me! I pity you Nick."

We are inclined to think that Jim was mistaken. Nick took one of our best girls for his wife. Miss Krieger's parents are highly respected in the Polish community.

The ceremony was very impressive. Father Korczyk addressed the young couple before mass. Choir of school children rendered "Veni Creator" and the sacrament of matrimony was administered. During mass the young couple received holy communion and blessing. The church was filled with friends of both parties. Among guests from other cities we noticed Max Drozewski and his sister of Milwaukee and Mr. Domowicz of Cleveland. Mr. Domowicz is an uncle to the bride.

Misses W. Krieger and R. Tomczyk were bridesmaids. Messrs. Alexander Tomczyk and John Morzynski were groomsmen.

Nick and his pretty bride will leave for Milwaukee and Chicago in a few days, where they will spend their honeymoon visiting with relatives and friends.

Their many friends extend their hearty congratulations to the young couple.

Warning-Odegard.

Miss Emma Warning and Carl Odegard were married this afternoon at two o'clock at the parsonage of the Scandinavian Moravian church, Rev. H B. Johnson officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Louise Hill and the groom by his brother George. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of Andrew Odegard to a number of relatives and close friends and the happy couple took the 5:30 train for a short wedding trip after which they will go to housekeeping on Baker street. The Tribune extends congratulations.

Hamm-Jessmier.

George Hamm and Miss Phyllis Jessmier were married on Tuesday morning at the Catholic church, Rev. Wm. Reding officiating. They were accompanied by John Schmich and Miss Kate Hamm, who acted in the capacity of bridesmaid and best man.

Both of the contracting parties are well known in this city and vicinity and have many friends here who will wish them success on their journey thru life.

Will Build a New Depot at Port Edwards.

During a conversation with a railroad official of the St. Paul Ry. last week that gentleman informed us that the St. Paul road would build a new modern depot at Port Edwards this fall which will cost in the neighborhood of $3000. He also stated that the company would surely build a new depot in this city next summer and also make other important changes.

Cleaner Streets.

The Civic Improvement committee made a tour of the business portion of the city to ask the merchants and in keeping the down town streets clean. Each business man was requested to burn the waste paper, refuse and rubbish instead of depositing it in the rear of his building or throwing it in the river as some have been doing.

Each merchant was asked to see that the waste paper in front of his business place was picked up and the sidewalk cleaned there at least once a day, preferably in the morning. Business men should realize that external neatness and cleanliness add value to a place of business.

It seems too bad to have our beautiful river and its banks used for a "dump." There is a city ordinance prohibiting the throwing of refuse and rubbish in the river or on its banks but so far it has not been enforced.

The committee also found some unsightly and unsanitary places that are good breeding places for filth and disease germs. The city ought to see that all the sewer openings are as they should be, if for nothing more than the safety of the public health

A garbage system such as the larger cities have is the only satisfactory solution of this problem but until we have that every man, woman and child should do his part toward keeping our city clean and sanitary. The waste paper baskets are not used as much as they might be. They are simply for the convenience of the public.

The teachers have promised their aid and co-operation in getting the children to do their part in this keeping the streets clean.

Old Foundry Burns.

The old building of the Grand Rapids Foundry company was burned to the ground on Thursday evening, the building and contents being a total loss, as there was no insurance on the place. The building was the property of E. Roenius, and it is figured that the loss altogether will amount to something like $2000. It is not known how the fire started but there is no doubt in anybody's mind but what it was of incendiary origin, as there was no other way in which the building could have caught fire. The fire was discovered about 10:30 o'clock in the evening, and at that time it had gained such headway that the department, which responded promptly, was unable to do anything toward extinguishing it, altho the surrounding buildings were kept from burning.

On the Tuesday evening before the old barn on the Morrill property belonging to Mr. Roenius, which is located near the Catholic church, was also burned, this having got fire in some mysterious manner that has not been explained up to the present time.

Death of Clark Hill.

Clark, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hill, died on Thursday last after an illness of about three weeks. The little fellow was taken sick first with measles, but this later developed into malarial fever, from the effects of which he died.

The funeral was held on Sunday from the Congregational church. Rev. Fred Staff conducting the services. The parents have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

BIRTHS.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Lychwick of the west side last week.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willard on Friday.

W. T. Jones has taken a contract to do the grading for several new sidetracks that are going to be put in by the Northwestern Ry. at Port Edwards. Mr. Jones will put a crew of men and teams to work on Monday.

Rev. H. F. Barstow, who has been pastor of the Church of Christ the past year, will leave next week for Hickory Oconto county where he will take charge of the church at that place.

Frank Mazur, G. Beardsley, F. Billmeyer and H. Knuth returned the past week from Dallas, S. D., where they registered for a homestead in the Rosebud reservation.

The case against the Wisconsin Central road by Ed Hayes was settled last week thru Mr. Hayes' attorney, W. E. Wheelan, for the sum of $2100.

Miss Harriet Armstrong, stenographer at the First National bank, spent Sunday with her parents at Necedah.

—FOR SALE—Second hand hard coal heater. Inquire at this office. 1t

Rev. Fred Staff was at Otsego the fore part of the week where he went to preach a funeral sermon.

Mrs. Chas. M. Webb and Mrs. T. A. Taylor are visiting friends in Stevens Point for a short time.

Mrs. W. Jellison of Princeton, Cal., is visiting at the home of W. B. Raymond.

Martin Bever of Bruce is spending several days in the city visiting his mother.

—Good music is one of the features of Mahara's minstrels which will be at Daly's theater next Tuesday.

The new saxaphones for the band arrived on Monday and the boys have since been circulating among our citizens engaged in selling tickets for their series of concerts this winter in order to pay for the instruments. The people so far have been subscribing quite handsomely.

Henry Haertel of Stevens Point was in the city today on business and favored the Tribune with a call.

Aylward Makes Great Speech

John A. Aylward, democratic nominee for governor, spoke at the opera house on Monday evening, and he delivered one of the best addresses that has been heard here for some time.

Mr. Aylward was introduced to the audience by Attorney B. E. Goggins, a classmate of Mr. Aylward's, who made a most pleasing speech of a few minutes duration.

There was a large audience in attendance and every individual there listened with attention to what Mr. Aylward had to say. He made his statements in a calm convincing manner, and at no time during the evening were there any oratorical fireworks for the purpose of impressing his audience. His remarks were direct and to the point and carried to the receptive mind a conviction difficult to overcome.

Mr Aylward took up the different issues of the campaign and gave his ideas without in any way abusing his opponents, and nobody could take exception at what he said or the manner in which he said it. There were a number of republicans in attendance and none of them were displeased.

He said our government was of democratic form, and that the original intention was that it should be a government of the people and by the people, and went on to show how the platform of the Republican party omits planks providing for a general benefitting of the people. He said a party's platform should be as solid as the Apostles' creed and asked the voters to examine carefully the features of each party's platform, ascertain what is there contained that is meant for their best interests, and then on election day give their support to the one whose pledged intentions are for the best goods.

Taking up the issue of railroad rates, he said it would be impossible to determine rates without knowing the physical valuation of the property, and said the Democratic party had shown its stand for the people by inserting in its platform a plank to clothe the interstate commerce commission with the power to determine such valuation after the Republicans in convention at Chicago had defeated the proposition. He said there is seven billion dollars of watered railroad stock and that the people are paying interest on it through existing rates.

It is to be deplored that lack of space prevents us from publishing at least a resume of Mr. Aylward's speech, as it would be well worth reading.

Hurt While Hunting.

George Heins, who is employed on the Potter marsh west of this city, was wounded on Sunday in such a manner that it was necessary to amputate one of his arms at the hospital.

It seems that young Heins in company with two other young men was engaged in hunting ducks at Cohn's Lake, and the three of them were in a boat. Some ducks came into sight and two of the inmates of the boat rose up to shoot at the same time and the outcome of the matter was that Heins received a charge of shot in his right arm below the elbow.

Dr. Rockwell was telephoned for and he went to the scene of the accident, and gave the young man what aid was possible and then had him brought to this city where he was placed in Riverview hospital, where the injured arm was amputated. It was a most sad and unfortunate accident and it only emphasizes the fact that people who are handling firearms should never under any circumstances point them at another person.

Want to Get Married.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk the past week:

Levi Townsend of Saratoga to Etta Rose of Saratoga.

Otto W. Oleson to Bertha Oleson both of Auburndale.

Wm. Henry McLean to Ernestine Wood both of Nekoosa.

F. H. Coombs to Cora R. Young both of Saratoga.

Michael Kolb to Mary Stroup both of the town of Marshfield.

George Hamm of the town of Rudolph to Phyllis Jessimer of the city of Grand Rapids.

Ralph D. Heidrick of Marshfield to Flossie M. Holl.

Chas. Beaster to Bertha Hagneau both of Pittsville.

Carl G. Odegard of the city of Grand Rapids to Emma A. Warning of Grand Rapids.

Will Theimke of Auburndale to Clara Baker of Milladore.

M. A. Vanatta of Arpin to Amelia Iverson of Sherry.

Miss Emma Rantz, who has been working in the LaCrosse telephone exchange during the past year is home to visit her parents and other relatives and friends in this city for a short time.

The home talent show, The Lighthouse Robbery, was taken to Nekoosa on Friday evening and showed before a crowded house in Brook's opera house.

Mrs. Joe Hanns of the west side is entertaining her parents this week, they having arrived on Saturday evening from their home in Stevens Point.

—Mahara's mammoth minstrels, 25 of them at Daly's theater next Tuesday evening.

DOCTOR RIDICULES INSANITY PLEA AS EXCUSE FOR MURDER



DR. ALLAN M'LANE HAMILTON.
Noted Alienist Who Lays Epidemic of Crime to Modern Modes of Living.

NEW YORK.—Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton is the dean of American alienists. He has perhaps of all men in this country had the largest experience in the courts, and has been concerned in more important cases in courts than any other American physician. His experience extends over a period of nearly 40 years. He was one of the chief government experts who was chosen to testify in the case of Guiteau, who killed President Garfield, and he was sent for from Buffalo to examine Czolgolz, the insane assassin of President McKinley, and again his name is found connected with the Schneider proceeding, which was undertaken in the District of Columbia to determine the responsibility of this interesting murder. His independent attitude in the Thaw case is generally known and commended, and although he had testified vigorously against the doctors of Christian Science in the Brush will case, he was sent for by the counsel of Mrs. Eddy and consulted as an expert who was eminently fair and likely to give good advice.

Ridicules Emotional Insanity.

Dr. Hamilton referred to the many important cases that have occurred during the last 50 years in New York, where so-called "emotional insanity" had been advanced as an excuse for crime generally, and was disposed to ridicule this form of subterfuge. "As most of us know, the Sickles-Key case was one of the earliest American cause celebre, and even in those early days made the judicious grieve. Gen. Daniel Sickles, a popular veteran of the civil war and an eminently sane man, after having watched Key, followed and shot him down in the street, and afterward pleaded emotional insanity so successfully that he was acquitted, although it does not appear that he afterward suffered any incapacity or showed any sign of mental weakness. Living to a good old age and pursuing the even and sane tenor of his way.

"In this state," said Dr. Hamilton, "the Cole-Hiscock murder was another of the same kind, and was tried in Albany, N. Y., in 1868, Maj. Gen. George W. Cole having murdered Harris Hiscock in front of Stanwix hall on the evening of June 4, 1867, while he was talking with two friends. Cole sought out Hiscock, who had been intimate with his wife, and, placing a pistol within a few inches of his head, fired, killing him instantly. In this case, like many others, the defense was emotional insanity, and the defendant owed his escape from the gallows to the eloquence of a Mr. Hadley and to the late James T. Brady, for there was nothing to prove insanity except an array of ridiculous testimony. As an evidence of his mental condition it was alleged that while in the army he had constantly whittled lockets, rings and other perishable ornaments, that he had nose-bleed, and that he was melancholy, while a number of reliable witnesses testified as to his excellent mental health at all times.

"About this time and until 1875 there were a number of murders of the same kind. Judge Parker, in the Cole case, instanced no less than eight examples of men who had taken the law into their own hands, and who had been acquitted under like circumstances.

Subterfuge for Lawyers.

"In this city I was connected in a minor capacity with two early important cases of this kind, one of which was the trial of McFarland for the murder of Richardson, which created much attention at the time, and which resulted quite improperly in McFarland's acquittal. The term 'emotional insanity,' as understood by the public, is not recognized by self-respecting alienists, because it is difficult to imagine how a man can be sane one moment, insane the next and sane after the commission of the crime, as is usually alleged; and I think it is the disposition nowadays to consider this defense as the veriest excuse for impulsive bad temper, cruelty and the disposition to take the law into one's hands. As has been said, 'it is a term invented by unscrupulous lawyers to afford the jury a safe bridge upon which to pass from the disagreeable technical duty to the accomplishment of their desires, when the accused has killed some one who, according to the consensus of opinion, ought to have been killed.'

"It is really a legal compromise with the truth. So-called 'emotional insanity' has been one of the most frequent devices selected to arouse false sympathy with criminal violence. People have been led to believe that there is such a thing as a sudden frenzy of passion, a feeling which has led a man to shoot another suddenly, and which absolves him from all responsibility. That is one of the absurdities adopted by certain desperate lawyers, who, in the name of science, attempt to mystify hysterical juries. It is hard to conceive of any form of insanity which has not been of regular development, although the manifestations which precede the explosion are sometimes with difficulty recognized. In this connection I may refer to the dangerous precedent that has been recently adopted of letting the outraged wife of the defendant tell the story of her wrongs with the idea of showing how readily it might have inflamed an injured man and produced an insanity which rendered him irresponsible.

"One genuine case has been made to do duty as a basis for all the others, and this decision was utilized in the Thaw case. The case to which reference is made is that of a man who was really insane, and whose wife within a week of the time of the sexual assault of which she was the victim, communicated the fact to him, when he took the law into his own hands and killed the paramour. It was properly alleged that his act was an insane one. That is a very different thing from the instances where individuals, after receiving such information, wait weeks and months, going about their business and holding ordinary relations with the woman, or even indulging in litigation.

Cowardice of Murderers.

"There is something rather interesting about the mental attitude of an individual under such circumstances as to his conception of his social rights. I have often noticed that there is a singular lack of sincere injury and consistency in the husband's motive for revenge, and there is usually a great deal more behind the facts as they first burst upon the community than are known. The husband who kills a paramour too often does it in a cowardly fashion, either shooting him in the back from behind a wall or in the dark. There is too apt to be an element of cowardice in the way it is done that robs it of the fine frenzy of feeling with which it is colored by the lawyers for the defense. Frequently the causes that lead up to these tragedies are known by the husband long before, and even sometimes condoned. My impression is that there exists a sort of inexplicable vanity, an exaggerated egotism, that inspires the semi-heroic attitude of injured virtue assumed by the husband who shoots another man on his wife's account.

"There is another strange evolution of modernism, quite as remarkable and twisted in its way as the husband's motives for killing. The community, going back to the laws of barbarism, adopts the husband's assumed property rights in the wife to be the moral solution of a far more complicated problem than they realize. Public sympathy with these cases depends upon the dramatic skill with which the husband presents his story, the manner in which he performs his supreme act of egotism. He may so blunder in the frenzy of his attempt to impress upon the public his chagrin and rage that they discover an element of the ludicrous in the very heart of an actual tragedy.

Decadent Public Opinion.

"Such a man may often neglect his wife, subject her to extraordinary cruelty, within the law, however, or completely ignore her tastes and inclinations, and suddenly he is surprised that she runs away with some one else. After brooding over his lost property, and fearing the criticism of the community, he makes one final effort to be sincere, and kills the other man, usually in some melodramatic fashion, taking care to save his own skin. While my arraignment is not sweeping, there is certainly to-day a large number of individuals whose development takes place in a community where public opinion is decadent and there may be a false standard of duty and heroism. These people are quite apt to do foolish things, or to disregard the advantages and available help afforded by the law.

"While it may seem an extreme thing to say, I do not think anyone can help but deplore a certain visible decadence which finds its expression in love of sensationalism, in the unhealthy tone of certain parts of the public press, by the appetite for a degenerate literary pabulum in the way of commonplace novels, which are full of cheap sentiment and mock heroism; and by a very irregular and unstable social institution which exists to-day. Those of us who have watched the drift must regret the growing tendency to disregard the traditions of 50, and even 25 years ago, but we are powerless to antagonize the intellectual erethism which sometimes even under the guise of scientific progress leads people to do foolish and inconsiderate things.

"You may ask what all this has to do with 'emotional insanity' and the commission of murder, and my reply must be that where there is an existence which feeds upon sensation and separates itself from sanity and a cool exercise of judgment, we may expect more or less moral decline.

Dangers in Mode of Living.

"Time and space do not permit me to draw lessons which must be apparent to those who live in this era of extravagance and luxury, especially in big cities, where home feeling is getting to be more and more a thing of the past. The life in boarding houses, flats and restaurants breeds unrest and discontent, and affords opportunity for moral laches which can only have one tendency.

"It is to be hoped that the attitude of the courts in regard to the defense of 'emotional insanity' will be much more stringent and unrelenting than it has hitherto been, and it is to be hoped that the public will be spared long and expensive trials, with the exposure of the disgusting details and pseudo-scientific forms of defense. Lawyers should not be permitted, with the aid of disreputable members of my own profession, to invent spurious forms of insanity and to inject improbable dramatic elements in cases which have done yeoman service in the sensational fiction of all ages, and certainly, if possible, the alleged insanity of a defendant should be settled by a commission of alienists and not be passed upon by an ordinary jury, who are only human, after all, and who are utterly unable to draw fine distinctions or to tell who is lying.

Advocates Commission of Alienists.

"A wise procedure, first inaugurated by the United States, District of Columbia, in the Schneider case some years ago, and lately more perfectly brought about by the Hon. Justice Warren W. Foster, of the general sessions, provides for the appointment of a commission of alienists, who should receive testimony and give an opinion as to the alleged insanity of a defendant at the time of the commission of the act, as well as at the present time, and report. The decision of this commission may send the individual to a penal institution of the insane, or he may be put on trial should the claim of alleged insanity be unfounded. By this method the community would not only be saved from disgusting details, such as were poured out in the Thaw and other cases, but an immense amount of money could be saved the taxpayers. As it is, jury trials are notoriously unfair, no matter how conscientious and intelligent may be the tribunal. Within the last year I have had experience with two cases which illustrate what I mean.

"In one a habeas corpus was brought for a chronic lunatic, whose actions were so glaring that her own counsel admitted her insanity and could find no expert to testify in her behalf. The proceedings were held in a courtroom which at other times served as the meeting place of the Grand Army of the Republic. Incidentally, it appeared in the testimony that during the war she had given coffee and sandwiches to the soldiers, and a point was made of this by her ingenious and resourceful lawyer. To the surprise of everyone the jury, which was recruited largely from the old soldiers who made the room a



lounging place, gave her her freedom and declared her sane 'because she had always been good to the soldiers.'

"In another case the members of a supposedly intelligent jury, who had been sworn to express the opinion whether an alleged incompetent was sane or insane, found that he was competent chiefly 'because they did not like the looks of his brother,' who was the next friend, and who had brought the action to have a committee appointed for his clearly insane relative. These two cases are examples of acts of injustice which can only be remedied by putting the whole matter in the hands of capable and decent alienists, whose position is so good that they are sure to be scrupulously fair and to serve not only the interests of the person, but the community as well."

WOMAN'S REALM

REACTION IS SURE

FALL MILLINERY STYLES ARE TOO EXTREME.

Good Designers Realize That Revision and Modification Will Be Demanded by American Women Who Dress Well.

No siren ever called men to danger and destruction more effectually than do millinery openings lure women into bankruptcy of dress allowances. The enticements of the fall openings are many and deceptive.

At first glance, the average shopper will decide that all styles are extreme and she must be resigned. If she selects her hat on this supposition she is making a grave mistake, because after the exaggerations of the fall openings will come a reaction in favor of more sane styles.

This much in warning. Do not buy your fall hat, which may have to last you well into the winter, until you



This Style Looks Heavy.

have studied the millinery field thoroughly. Do not pin your faith to the milliner's statement that only the extreme styles will be worn. Good designers already admit that the extreme styles of the moment will be revised and modified within a month's time. The American woman simply will not be made to look like a frump, and selecting an extreme style for millinery for general wear, not occasions, stamps the woman as the frump, the person of hopelessly bad taste.

Naturally the first question raised at fall opening was this:

"What will replace the merry widow sailor?"

And the answer is: "The English walking hat, crossed with a man's silk tile."

Not a promising outlook, is it, especially for the middle-aged woman of conservative tastes? And the oddest thing about the situation is that the woman who wore the merry widow sailor is quite sure that she can swing to the other extreme and look smart in the severe English hat which the millinery world is trying to popularize.

In addition to the walking hat described above, there are many large and bizarre shapes. The merry widow shape, probably a trifle larger in diameter, has a higher crown, and is bent in the back. Another large hat suggesting the summer picture hat, but trimmed with wintry fabrics, is as broad as the merry widow, but droops on the sides, suggesting the big sunbonnet or scoop-shaped hat.

In fact, the extreme hats along these lines seem almost to touch the shoulder. Fluted brims appear, and while there is no bandeau, the brim is sharply tilted on the left side. Crowns are generally high, some running up absolutely straight and others graduated, smaller at the top than where they join the brim, like a peach basket. What few toques are shown at all have elaborately fluted brims and a very heavy look.

New Shades for Evening.

Novel shades are conspicuous among elaborate evening robes and wraps. Canard blue is perhaps the most unusual shade for coats, nevertheless it is seen in sumptuous garments that run into hundreds. A glorious wrap of this fascinating bluegreen, made on the Rue de la Paix for one of America's well-known society matrons, had for its decoration embroidered peacock's feathers looking as though they were pasted to the shimmering satin. Bronze threads added to the realistic appearance, and the ends of the quills were raised by means of padding. The front of the wrap is surplice, closing at one side, forming a "V" at the neck. The edges from neck to hem are appropriately finished with a band of genuine canard (duck) feathers plucked from the breast of the bird, where only the rich blue-green shades are found.—New York Press.

FURS THAT WILL BE POPULAR.

Some New Wrinkles Are Promised for the Coming Season.

The common gray squirrel is to be glorified this year and will appear in a disguise of deep brilliant brown.

The famous furrier, Laxton, is responsible for the discovery which leads to the transformation of the "petit gris."

The dye has succeeded admirably, for the finish is exquisitely soft and silky to the touch.

Already it is being made up into some very chic garments and will doubtless be the choice of many a fastidious mondaine.

Another skin which owes its prestige to the hand of the furrier is the musquash or Canadian rat.

This, after having had all the coarse hairs removed, is such a good imitation of seal that it puzzles experienced furriers.

With all the dark pelts, the furriers are introducing some subtle, yet striking touches of ermine.

The best muffs for the approaching season are immense and are made, when of dark pelt, with the same strips of ermine.

Probably the most popular choice for the woman who does not care to spend a fortune on her furs will be the caracal.

Soft Bristle Brush Best.

The most important method for achieving pretty gray hair is by the use of a long, soft bristle brush. For by applying it—even if the hair is inclined to come out easily the fall is not increased and the brushing will accomplish much by way of taking out the dust. The brush should be used, not by drawing close down against the scalp, as would be done were one trying to bring luster to the surface, but as a clothes brush might be applied, lifting the hair in strands and bringing the bristles through in short, sharp strokes that will raise the dust and take it out. In this point lies the value of the treatment, and unless the brush is wielded in such way as to dust, rather than to brush, the whole object has failed.

Broadcloth the Fashionable Wear.

Broadcloth will be the fashionable fabric of the coming season, and the maid or matron who is really recherche must number among her winter wardrobe a frock of this soft material in any of the following shades: Taupe, a foggish gray; prairie, a vivid green; marmottee, a suggestion of London smoke; maroc, a golden brown; mousquetaire, a new cadet blue; patachore, Marguerite, wisteria and peacock.

TO BE WORN ON STREET.

Coat of Walking Costume Designed for Especial Use.

The coat of this costume would be especially useful, as, if it were made in white serge, it could be worn with any dress. It has a semifitting back, and straight fronts, which are cut so that they come in points. Pale green silk braid is used for trimming; but-



tons and cord to match are used as fastenings. The skirt is in soft gray cloth, which is checked with fine mauve lines; it is quite a plain sevengore shape. Gray crinoline hat, trimmed with mauve silk and an aigrette, is worn.

Materials required: Four yards serge 46 inches wide, 4¼ yards cloth 48 inches wide, about one dozen yards braid, four buttons.

Stains on the Hands.

Lemon juice is very good for removing stains from the hands, and if a little salt is added to this juice, it is still more efficacious.

NEW KIND OF SATIN.

Indication That Modified Empire Styles Are to Be Worn.

There is a new weave of satin just displayed which is extra wide. It has been woven for the use of the dressmakers who have orders for the modified empire skirt, which is not gored.

This seems to indicate early in the season that the great designers intend to keep to this model for the fall styles. It will not be extreme, but probably carried out on the lovely slender lines that the later empire gowns show.

In this extra wide lustrous satin there is a new shade of golden brown called rum. There are also dark grays in the soft smoke and elephant shades, and it is whispered that these will make up the dominant gowns.

The new myrtle tones are also of this satin and the brilliant gendarmes blue.

The grays will be embroidered in heavy silk bullion and padded silk floss in three shades of gray. Here and there there will be a touch of silver fringe, and when the gowns are built for elaborate evening wear, to be worn with a hat, the guimpes and long, wrinkled sleeves will be of the new coarse tulle embroidered with silver and rhinestones.

There seems to be a good deal of evidence coming from all sides that the dull grays are to take the place of vivid colors for elaborate gowns.

For the Girl Who Crochets.

The girl who likes a bit of crocheting on hand should immediately make for herself a set of Irish crochet buttons for the front of her shirt waist.

These are popular just now and look charming on the batiste waists, made in tailored fashion, that many women wear the season round.

To go with the buttons, of which there should be four if as large as a two-cent piece, and five if smaller, she could crochet or buy narrow Irish crochet edging for down each side of the box-plait, around the cuff and Dutch collar.

When worn with a tie or jabot of Irish crochet a "smart" shirt waist is assured.

SAVING A TOWN FROM FLOODS.

Good Work the Forest Service Did for Manti, Utah.

One of the conditions governing the grazing of stock on the western national forest reserves is that certain areas where the watershed demands protection are closed to the stockmen because the watershed interests are many times more important than the grazing rights.

Two notable cases of this protection are the Salt Lake City watershed in the Salt Lake National forest and the Manti watershed in the Manti forest in the same state.

In the years before the forest was reserved by the government the little city had been annually almost swept away by floods. Thousands of dollars had been spent by the citizens in building embankments, but to no avail.

Every year the streets were torn up and the neighboring fields ruined, says a writer in Out West. They begged that the mountain region above them be made into a national forest and that some restraint be placed upon the grazing on the mountain ranges in order that the forest cover might be restored and the floods stopped.

The forest was established after a careful and systematic examination of the area had been made by expert foresters, and grazing upon a large area was strictly prohibited for a year.

What was the result on the Manti watershed? Within a year from the time grazing was stopped the floods began to diminish. The forest cover rapidly returned.

The snow, held in check by the bushes, grasses and other forest growth, did not melt away in a day as in the past. The rains that formerly fell on a bare open ground were now received by a sponge-like covering of dead grass and leaves, and these with the living vegetation held it in check from running off as fast as it fell.

Four years have passed since the forest was made, and the danger from floods is no longer known in Manti, while the flow of water in the little mountain streams is more regular and constant than ever before.

DESPERADO, AGED FIVE, AT BAR.

Boy Admits Guilt and Smiles at Judge.

If you were a little boy, and you lived next door to a "single lady" somewhat past youth, who told you how much she disliked little boys, wouldn't you now and then "shy" things into her yard, just to see her get mad? And if she "told on" you to your parents, wouldn't you be tempted to take a nice, hard "rock" and fling it at her front windows?

Such was the experience of John Campbell, and the "rock" which broke Miss Calista Curtis' front window represented the revenge which landed him in the juvenile court recently.

When the prisoner was brought before the bar a grin overspread every face in the courtroom. Asked his age, he lisped "five." Although Miss Curtis represented John as a desperado, he did not look the part. He resembled rather the pictures of youthful cherubs on Christmas cards. His dimpled hands seemed fitter to hold a harp than a "rock." John smiled sweetly at the judge, and evidently had his mind made up that the nice, kind man would soon begin to show him a ticktick watch or bring forth some candy.

He readily admitted the responsibility for the stone that broke Miss Curtis' window, but there was no contrition in his manner.

John's father, who accompanied the boy to court, said he had offered to pay for the window, but that Miss Curtis had refused, and insisted on bringing the matter into court.

Miss Curtis cast a withering look on her cherubic adversary when she gave her testimony. John, according to her, is a "very bad little boy." She thought the reform school was the proper place for him. John heard her strictures without emotion, but his father showed signs of wrath.

Miss Curtis was balked of her revenge. The reform school was not forthcoming. Instead, Judge Callan ordered her to accept the money for the broken window offered by John's father. As John was led from the room by his parent he waved "by-by" to the judge, adding the polite formula, "Tum again."—Washington Post.

Wisconsin State News

Happenings in the Cities, Towns and Villages Which Are of Interest Here.

CHARGE GIRL WITH THEFT.

Oshkosh Police Claim She Stole Valuable Receptacle.

Oshkosh.—By clever detective work the Oshkosh police have landed a woman who is believed to be a crook with a Milwaukee or Chicago record. She gave the name of Irene Dawson and her home sometimes as Milwaukee and again as Chicago. She was charged with grand larceny. Miss J. Louise Norris of Brandon and her brother, M. Norris, awaited a train at the Northwestern North side passenger station here. Miss Norris is a teacher engaged in the public schools of a Kentucky city. Her brother is a mining man and has recently returned from Alaska. They were on their way to Marinette. Miss Norris' satchel disappeared.

The police looked for a woman in black who had been in the city a day or two, stopping at a prominent hotel, and who had been seen at the depot with a satchel answering the description of that which had disappeared. She appeared at a leading jewelry store, inquiring for a pawn shop. To Chief of Police Dowling, who accosted her, she told that her brother, a man of wealth, had gone on a spree here and that he had pawned his watch, a family heirloom, which she was seeking to reclaim. She was directed to a pawn shop and watched and later taken into custody. She indignantly denied any connection with the satchel theft and it developed that jewelery she had pawned was not a part of the contents of the satchel. Later she broke down and is said ot have confessed.

Society In Equity Meets.

Milwaukee. — The American Society of Equity having a membership of 100,000 and represented by a large number of delegates met in annual convention in Milwaukee Tuesday. The society is made up of farmers and its object is to regulate the price of farm produce. It is a part of the program to establish elevators and warehouses in different parts of the country, and by keeping grain and other produce in store and placing it upon the market as there is demand for it, it is hoped to regulate prices.

Make First Subscription.

Fond du Lac.—The first subscription to the building fund for the new St. Joseph's church, to replace the one destroyed by fire, was made by Rev. M. J. Taugher, who has been in charge of the congregation for the last 20 years. Father Taugher is receiving letters of condolence from the clergy all over the country, several of which contained remittances for $50.

Aldermen Lock Horns.

La Crosse.—The unusual circumstance of a defeated minority of city officials appealing to the state railway commission against the action of the common council occurred when aldermen, headed by C. F. Lang, petitioned the commission to forbid the La Crosse City Railway Company tearing up its Market street line in accordance with a franchise.

Amusement Parks Assign.

Milwaukee.—The directors of the Wonderland Amusement Company of this city Friday made a voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors. Herman Nauman was appointed assignee. A schedule of liabilities and assets will be filed in about two weeks. The company conducted the largest summer amusement resorts in the city.

Logging Outlook Bright.

Merrill.—The outlook for logging operations this winter is considerably brighter than was at first supposed, especially is this true regarding that of the contractors. The jobbers, however, may find the demand for their stock weak, particularly those who have hemlock logs to dispose of.

Collision Delays Trains.

La Crosse.—As a result of a head-on collision between two freight trains on the river division of the Milwaukee road at Weaver, 47 miles north of here, the main line of the road between Milwaukee and St. Paul was blocked for hours, and all traffic was interrupted.

Take to Vegetable Diet.

Janesville.—The discovery made that a local butcher was selling meat cut from an animal suffering from tuberculosis, has caused many families to go on a vegetarian diet and butchers are complaining of the decrease in their business in consequence.

Mathias Winger Killed.

Oconomowoc.—Mathias Winger was struck and instantly killed by passenger train No. 22 as he attempted to pass in front of a train. Mr. Winger was about 75 years of age and was a veteran of the civil war.

Fight in City Streets.

Madison.—Unfriendly feeling of long standing between the university and town boys came to a climax when a half dozen town lads attacked several students while the latter were hazing freshmen.

Blind Pig Alleged Offense.

Fond du Lac.—D. J. Pleuss and Frank Scheffler have been arrested charged with conducting a blind pig in the town of Brandon. The arrest was caused by officers of the Anti-Saloon league.

Brings Another Suit.

Chippewa Falls.—Judge H. P. Lane of Santa Barbara, Cal., was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Clayton Lord on charges of using abusive language tending to provoke an assault.

Chase Ends in Prison.

Janesville.—Charles Stewart, aged 23 years, of Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, was sentenced to two years in state prison for theft of goods from Northwestern cars He was caught near Evansville after a chase of several miles.

Boys Had Sweet Tooth.

Beloit.—Theft of a lot of honey from the farm of Al Buckeridge has been traced to three boys who have been arrested and were held for trial at Rockford, Ill.

GIVE UP ONE-TWENTIETH.

Each Candidate to Contribute Part of Salary to Campaign.

Madison.—At a conference between State Chairman E. A. Edmunds of the Republican state central committee and the Republican nominees for state officers, it was agreed that each candidate should contribute about five per cent. of his salary to campaign expenses and do as much personal work on the stump and otherwise as possible. The work of arranging speaking dates for the candidates was left to Mr. Edmunds. Gov. Davidson will take his usual part in the speaking campaign, but is not expected to make as many addresses as he did two years ago. He has already received many invitations to speak in various parts of the state. The principal topic in the campaign is the tariff issue, and since Taft in his Milwaukee speech declared that the tariff should be "the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad," it is this argument which will be urged from the stump.

Words Cost $21 Apiece.

Appleton.—"Father wouldn't pay board because Henry wouldn't pay his interest." That laconic statement made by one of the daughters of the late Ulrich Koehnke in county court cost $21 a word. When the older Koehnke died he left a $4,000 estate. Henry Koehnke, one of the sons, filed a claim for $210 for board of his father, which was contested by the remaining heirs. These words, in the opinion of the judge, switched the whole case in favor of the claimant.

Aylward Spent $2,200.

Madison.—John A. Aylward of Madison, Democratic nominee for governor, filed a statement in the office of the secretary of state, declaring that he had spent $2,200.84 for campaign expenses during the recent primary election. Most of the money went for printing and postage. Attorney Thomas S. Nolan of Janesville, unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for congressman in the First district, spent $619.05.

Mayor Opposes Police.

Kenosha.—Matthias J. Scholey, the brewery agent mayor of Kenosha, refused to permit the police to swear out a warrant for the arrest of a saloon man charged with violating the saloon regulations without first passing on the case himself. After acting as an examining magistrate he declared that there was no cause for action against Nicholas Kaiser and gave orders that the prosecution be dropped.

Finds Strange Animal.

Fond du Lac.—The discovery of a "proteus," a peculiar object which is neither fish nor animal, in the waters of the east branch of the Fond du Lac river, has occasioned considerable wonderment among the students of natural history. The "proteus" is said to be a native of Germany. The "proteus" was discovered by Lawrence Supenand, a nine-year-old boy.

Taxes a Pinch at $125.

Sheboygan.—Because William Zelm of Plymouth "pinched her leg," and became familiar in other ways, a jury soothed the injured feelings of Minnie Plautz of Plymouth with the sum of $125, after being out for six hours. Miss Plautz was suing for $1,000. Attorney H. J. Rooney for the defendant immediately made a motion to have the verdict set aside.

Auto Took a Tumble.

Racine.—An automobile containing four Chicago people, en route to Milwaukee, became unmanageable nine miles north of this city, struck a rock, went over a ditch, through a fence and against a tree. All were thrown out and sustained injuries and the lights and hood of the machine were damaged. The injured men refused to tell their names.

First to Pay Its Loss.

Fond du Lac.—At a meeting of the board of education it was decided to replace the school books of the children burned in the fire that damaged the Grant school building. The loss on books is estimated at $275. The first company to pay its policy on St. Joseph's church was the Milwaukee Mechanics.

City of Dead Too Small.

Racine.—Mound cemetery is too small to permit the burial of the dead many years longer. Superintendent Louis Mohr so reports and it is believed that a new cemetery will be provided far outside the city limits. There are interred in the Mound cemetery over 13,000 bodies.

May Erect Warehouse.

Appleton.—At a meeting of the Outagamie county branch of the American Equity society at Freedom it was practically decided to organize a stock company to erect a warehouse and cold storage in Appleton.

Organize Poultry Association.

Watertown.—The Watertown Poultry and Pet Stock association has been organized with William F. Gruetzmacher as president, and Arthur Gamm, secretary. It is planned to give a show next January.

To Build a Chapel.

Oshkosh.—St. John's English Evangelical Lutheran church has started to build a chapel at Wisconsin and Union streets, to be replaced by a church as soon as the congregation has grown larger.

Charged with Theft of Horse.

Merrill. — Joe Stickeneyer was arrested on a charge of horse-stealing and taken to Stevens Point for a hearing. He had six horses with him when arrested, but said he was a horse trader.

Falls Victim to Cholera.

Racine. — A cablegram was received here from the Philippines announcing the death of Frank Peters of cholera. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war Peters entered the volunteer service and was stationed in the Philippines.

Child Cut by Tin Can.

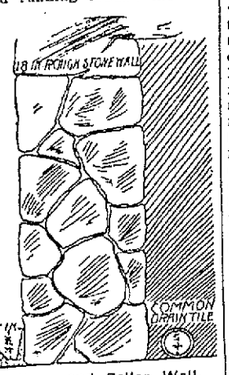
Racine.—Elmer Martin, 14 years old, while playing ball on the street, fell over a curbing, struck on a tin can and the sharp edges cut him so badly that his intestines protruded.

FARM AND GARDEN

CELLAR WALL AND FLOOR.

Plan Which Proved Highly Satisfactory to One Man.

The accompanying illustration shows cellar wall and floor which we have found to be highly satisfactory. The walls were of rough sandstone bowlders laid in common mortar. A good rain was provided, and connecting with it and running around the out-



Concrete Floor and Cellar Wall.

side of the wall was a line of 4-inch drain tile.

In placing the concrete floor, says the correspondent of Prairie Farmer, we made a gutter around just inside the wall, which catches any water which may seep through the walls, and prevents it from running over the floor. Practically all the water which runs down the outside of the walls goes into the tile and does not seep through.

GOOD PASTURES.

The Part They Play in Maintaining the Soil Fertility.

I know of no work upon the farm that will make such a decided improvement for the amount of labor used as the cultivation of pasture, writes Forest Henry in The Farmer. We have had little experience with seeding into the native sod. I have been, in fact, surprised with the good results. I am very glad to get the words of a writer in one of our very valuable exchanges where he says: 'Our whole philosophy of a good pasture may be summed up in this: "Get your land so full of the valuable grasses that weeds can with difficulty find lodgment, and can not grow even if they get a start by reason of the shading by the tame grasses. Remember the old Scotchman's remark: 'If you keep the bushel full of wheat, there is no room for chaff.'"

Rape as a cover crop would prevent many of our loose soils from blowing during the winter and also hold the winter snows. Altogether I fully believe it would mean much if practiced, especially on our early plowed fields. Where one has sheep it would also furnish much good late pasture. This matter of cover crops is being studied and put in practice largely in the east, where they feel the need of fertility more. Why should we not profit by their experience and begin earlier and keep up our fertility while our soils are comparatively rich?

Think of the Farm.

There are several sides to the dairy question. Almost always we think of the side that relates to the dollars and cents we expect to get out of the business now, forgetting that there is a far more important way of looking at it. We have the satisfaction of knowing that the man who engages in dairying does not skin his farm and give give the hide away. Every year he is putting back a good share of the fertility he takes out of his land in the form of grass, corn and other selling crops. This is not the case with the man who raises grain exclusively, keeping little if any stock, and selling his farm bare year after year, until it will produce little or nothing.

Treat Smutty Seed Wheat.

If it is necessary to sow seed wheat from a crop which has been attacked by stinking smut the seed should first be treated with formalin. One pint of formalin in 40 gallons of water will treat 50 bushels of wheat. Spread it out on a clean, tight floor previously sterilized with the formalin solution.

Sprinkle thoroughly until every kernel is wet. Sprinkling should be repeated until at least three quarts of solution per bushel of grain have been absorbed. Cover the pile with cloth or canvas for two hours, then shovel the grain over at intervals to dry it and sow at once. All bags and shovels used in handling the grain must be carefully disinfected.

Big Co-Operative Dairy.

We have a few good-sized dairy co-operative enterprises in this country, but we are outclassed in this line of co-operation by some of the enterprises in Australia and New Zealand. Thus a co-operative dairy company in New South Wales, in Australia, recently made its half-year report. This report showed a total business done in the half year of $2,200,000. The profit was $50,000, which was something immense in the view of the fact that the paid-up capital is but $70,000. Much of the profits, however, were transferred to a reserve fund to aid in the dairy export movement.

Poor Cabbage Year.

Many dealers are kicking about the poor grade of cabbage marketed this year. One dealer goes so far as to say that he has not seen a decent barrel of that commodity since last winter. So pronounced has this become throughout the country that in some localities dealers have cut out cabbage sales on account of the poor quality available. It's pretty tough on the gardener to think that good cabbage is nearly unprocurable.

Feed Well.

During the moulting season the hens should receive a little extra care in the way of feed, and handy dust baths. Many advocate the use of corn for a considerable part of their ration, but while the extremely hot weather lasts it would be best to substitute linseed meal and sunflower seed in place of corn. Be sparing in the use of these fattening foods, however.

A few strong wires next to the ground will discourage the hogs from trying to get under the fence.

SOIL NEED OF OXYGEN.

Reason Why Decay of Vegetable Matter Depends Upon Air Supply.

The first condition for the changing of green plant remains into useful manure is an abundance of air, says Prof. Charles L. Penny of the Delaware station. Much of the benefit of tillage must be ascribed to the need of furnishing oxygen to the micro-organisms of the soil, which in turn use it to oxidize protein to nitrates. Anything, whether the nature of the soil, its position as to drainage or its treatment, that prevents the access of air to decaying organic matter, will retard or prevent this useful process of oxidation, and so will leave a peat-like matter, useless as food for new vegetation. The vegetable remains of marshes covered wholly or partly by water accumulate for years with little decomposition and that little attended by the escape of nitrogen rather than by its oxidation to nitrates. Land that has standing water for much of the time is unfavorable to nitrification, as there is not sufficient free circulation of air. In such low lying lands, often of a black color, fragments of plants frequently remain undecomposed for a long time. A stiff compact soil retards decay for a similar reason, whereas in a porous, well tilled soil, fragments of plants disappear very rapidly. The soil of forests lacks the nitrifying ferment and is almost free from nitrates, because the bed of moss and fallen leaves excludes the air from the deeper layers of such remains, and so prevents oxidation. Thus it is that the submerged vegetation of marshes, and to a less extent much of the vegetation of permanently wet lands, passes into a form in which it changes very little and becomes practically inert matter, so far as plant nutrition is concerned. A saturated wet soil has the further disadvantage not only that no nitrates are formed, but also that nitrates already present are rapidly reduced and lost.

HINTS TO FRUIT SHIPPERS.

Made by Mr. Walter Snyder, a Commission Dealer of Baltimore.

I would suggest to the fruit and vegetable growers, first, never ship your products to a commission merchant until you have made satisfactory inquiry as to his honesty and ability to handle them.

Second, after you have fully satisfied yourself of the fact that you have the right commission merchant, ship your products to him solid. Do not divide your shipments between two or more houses in the same market, as by so doing you bring your goods in competition with themselves and you also show a lack of confidence in all the houses you are shipping to.

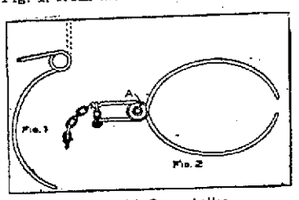
Third, always put up your fruits and vegetables in neat, new packages. It is a mistaken idea of economy to use old, dirty and (as is often done), half-dilapidated packages of any kind, because the cost is a few cents less. Good fruit will often look poor in old packages, while poor fruit will frequently show up fairly good in new ones.

Fourth, select your products carefully, making as many grades as may be necessary and packing each grade separately, putting a distinguishing mark on each package of different grade. Never top up your stuff by putting poor or inferior grades in the bottom or center of the package and good on top. This is a fraud, and if you expect honesty from your commission merchant, you must set him the example of being honest yourself and not try to make him a party to your dishonesty in robbing the purchaser of your fraudulently packed goods.

CORNSTALK HOLDER.

How a Serviceable Device Can Be Made Out of Two Rake Teeth.

Secure two rake teeth, as shown in Fig. 1, from an old hay rake and after



To Hold Cornstalks.

heating bend the ends of them straight as shown by the dotted lines. Place the teeth together opposite each other and fasten them with a bolt and large washers, using a round wood plug that will just fill the hole in the circle of the spring, A, Fig. 2. When heating the ends and bending them, says Popular Mechanics, make a hook on one end and an eye on the other in which to attach a chain to hold the holder together around the stalks while tying.

Garden Beans.

Garden beans in the United States are of more than 135 distinct types and are sold under more than 400 varietal names. Surely, the American bean grower can find somewhere in this list the kind of bean that suits him. Beans differ greatly as to the qualities they possess, and sometimes the bean that is less attractive in appearance has the greatest value for the table. Probably the bean is about as little understood as to its requirements as any ordinary farm crop we have. This is indicated by the lack of success in its culture in some of our states, where climatic conditions appear suitable to its growth.

Study the Markets.

It only remains for the market gardener to make a close study of his marketing to be one of the most favored sons of agriculture. Too many farmers lack the ability at this end of the machine. It's nice to produce good crops, but it's not very gratifying if you do not profit by such labor and ability. It is probable that if a choice was to be made between the two, an element of business, and a keen eye for getting the prices, and the knack for raising good stuff, the latter acquirement would be more desirable.

Sawdust for Mulching Trees.

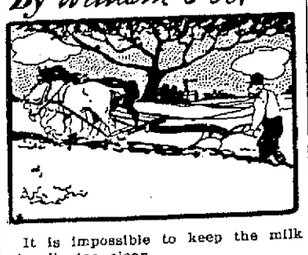
It is fair when well rotted, but do not put it close to the trunk, for mice gather under it. Fresh sawdust is too sour, and lime or wood ashes should be used with it.

If an orchard is to be grown on flat land the soil should be well drained before the trees are put in, as drainage operations are not easy after the trees are in place and are making roots.

The hog is not a dirty animal when not forced to have dirty quarters.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt



It is impossible to keep the milk utensils too clean.

Corn for the silo had rather be too ripe than too green.

The dairy without the Babcock tester is like the engine without the governor.

Cream that is ripe for churning presents a smooth, satiny appearance when stirred.

The well-worn hoe is a good testimonial for the farmer. The rusty hoe tells another tale.

Little things done in season will lighten the big tasks and make farming more pleasant and profitable.

One farmer recommends quarter pound doses of baking soda for colic in animals.

The fruit tree that shows a tendency to split at the crotch can be saved by boring a hole at the point of the split and putting a bolt through with a washer at either end.

A two-inch hole bored a foot deep into the stump and filled with saltpeter to which water is added and left to stand a couple of months will hasten the burning of the stump

The intestinal nodules in nodular disease of sheep have been regarded as tuberculous in character, but are now known to be due to the irritation caused by the immature form of an intestinal worm.

After harvesting the root crops turn the sheep in on the fields. They will pick up many of the small roots left behind. Surprising how much good feed is lost if the animals do not help to pick it up.

Carrots are good feed for dairy cows as well as other stock. When not fed in too large quantities they provide the best winter food for the milk cows. The carrot is always greedily eaten by stock, as it has in it a considerable quantity of sugar and no element of bitterness. Carrots are also supposed to help color the milk in the direction desired, but it would take a good many carrots to accomplish much in this regard. The effect of feeding carrots is very good on the digestive system.

Hogs need clear water and plenty of it. The amount of water they naturally use is very great. It has been found that a pig fed corn meal as a principal diet used about 900 pounds of water to 100 pounds of gain. A pig fed barley meal used 1,500 pounds of water in making 100 pounds of gain on that diet. Many pigs get little moisture outside of what they get in the slop. They should have a separate drinking tank or trough filled with water where they can drink whenever they so desire. Even if they get an abundance of slop they will drink much water.

The appointment of a commission by the president to study farm conditions with a view to suggesting reforms that will make farm life more pleasant and wholesome has afforded the humorists of the country a new subject for their witticisms. Here is how it strikes the rhymster on the Washington Post:

We've been investigated down to Pohick on the Crick,
An' I reckon that reform will strike us farmers purty quick;
We want the chickens taught to lay an egg just as they should,
'Thout settin' up a cackle that'll wake the neighborhood;
We want the pigs to break away from customs of the past
An' learn to use a finger bowl and not to eat so fast;
And cows should be persuaded not to overturn the pails
When milkin' time comes 'round, an' not be switchin' of their tails.

We ought to make arrangements with the weather bureau, too,
For havin' rain turned on or off, accordin' as it's due;
It's a mighty glorious feelin' to be lookin' toward the day
When we'll give up all the bothers of our plain old-fashioned way.
When we'll sit up on a fence rail in some cool an' shady nook
An' help the corn an' 'taters grow by readin' from a book.
We've rolled our shirt sleeves down; nobody wants to do a lick
Until this farm reform has lit at Pohick on the Crick.

"No," said a farmer with whom I talked the other day, "I never break my horses until they are four years of age. They always do better work than the horses of my neighbors that are broken earlier." What did he mean? His idea of breaking a colt was putting it to hard work, and when I suggested that the training of a colt should begin early in the first year he looked at me in amazement. I asked him if it was not a pretty tough job breaking the four-year-olds, and he admitted it was. The training of a colt does not mean that he must be worked. It simply means the educating of the animal to obey words of command, to submission to touch of harness and to follow the guidance of the reins. And how easy all this is while the colt is young and easy to handle. A horse broken in this way is more thoroughly broken than he ever can be where the task is left until he gets his growth and habits are formed. Who would think of leaving the education of a child go until it had attained its growth and was able to stand a man's work?

Buttermilk is made from skim milk that has soured until the casein is clabbered, when it is churned as one would for butter.

Dirty eggs are usually hard to clean. Vinegar is used by some and some use brick dust as a scouring material. Soap and water seldom give satisfaction. The use of alkali on the egg removes the mucilaginous substance and this reduces the power of the egg to keep. This mucilaginous material fills the pores and so keeps out the air.

Watch the butter milk and be sure you are not losing lots of butter fat.

Little leakages cause big losses in the aggregate. Remember that.

Young ewes should as a rule never be bred under 14 months.

When through using a tool, or machine, put it up.

Feed the horses regularly. Irregular feeding encourages bolting of food, leading to indigestion.

It is no longer a question: Does the silo pay? Rather, what is the best method of handling the silo?

Don't forget that charcoal is good for the hogs, salt, also. Have it where they can help themselves.

The road horse stuffed with hay makes a poor traveler. Feed light on hay and heavier on oats when using the horses much.

Good bacon brings good prices. See that your breed of hogs is right, and then feed for the best results.

Large animals consume less pounds of dry material per 1,000 pounds live weight per day than do small ones.

The bull that isn't dangerous and the gun that isn't loaded both belong in the same class and should be given a wide berth.

Be sure the chickens, young and old, have plenty of gravel. Much bowel trouble is caused by lack of good grits.

Intelligent feeding of live stock requires not only a knowledge of the food constituents, but a knowledge of the animals fed.

When building the hen house be sure it has a south exposure and good window space. It will make it bright and warm this winter and will make the hens feel like laying.

It is a good thing to have the horse so gentle as to be able to crawl under him, and then it is a good thing not to do it. It is a poor place to be if the horse should suddenly startle.

It has long since been demonstrated by experiments that corn alone does not make the best or most economical fattening ration. The corn must be balanced by a feed containing more of protein.

The board silo can be given a cement lining by cleating with lath and applying the cement. Silos thus lined should be thoroughly cleaned each year and then washed with thin cement to fill the cracks which may have formed in the thin lining.

Cream that has been allowed to stand too long will break or become watery and will not make the best flavored butter. The secret of good butter making is knowing just when the cream has reached the right stage of acidity.

The horse with a long-established case of worms should be given a purgative before any tonic treatment is begun. Administer four drams of aloes before breakfast or on an empty stomach. Also give a warm enema of four quarts of strong soapsuds. Follow this with a course of tonics. Sulphate of iron, two drachms; gentian, four drams, and columbo, two drams; twice daily, for a week or two. Give at the same time sound, nourishing diet and gentle regular exercise.

Successful dairymen plan a system of crop rotation which enables them to have one market or cash crop, besides the profits from the dairy. The increased fertility brought on to the farm from the use of concentrated feed stuffs more than offsets the amount of fertility removed by the sale of the dairy produces. Another factor is that the same help required properly to conduct a dairy can find time, outside of the regular routine of dairy work, to care for a profitable market or cash crop.

Tuberculosis symptoms vary according to the location of the disease. Commonly the lungs are more or less involved. The disease is characterized by dullness, tenderness of withers, back and loins, occasional dryness of the nose, heat of the horns and ears, want of pliancy of the skin, accelerated pulse, bad breath, slight, infrequent, dry cough, blue watery milk. If you are alarmed at the appearance of your herd write for expert opinion to your state experiment station.

Here is the experience of one farmer with potatoes which showed a tendency to blight. In a patch of about half an acre he dug one-third just before the tops were dead, dried and put them in the cellar. Not one of these rotted and all seemed to keep in perfect condition. At the same time he pulled the tops on another third of the lot and burned them, leaving the potatoes in the ground until the middle of October, when he dug and put them in the cellar. These also kept perfectly. The other one-third he did not disturb until the first of October, and when dug fully one-half had rotted.

Clean cream, cold cream and rich cream are the three graces of the dairy business. Be clean and sanitary in milking. Have all pails, crocks, cans and dairy utensils scalded and clean. Keep the separator clean by washing after each separating. Cool each lot of cream in cold water before setting it away and have it thoroughly cooled before adding to the general lot of cream. Have a tank of cold water or a well-ventilated cool cellar in which to keep the cream. Stir each of the separate lots of cream every day to keep them uniform. Have a wire screen for each vessel so as to "air the cream" and keep out flies and insects. Skim a rich cream, 35 to 40 per cent., and it will keep sweet longer. Deliver the cream to the creamery or receiving station three times a week in summer and twice a week in winter.

Bone and grains are needed by the hens. See that they have a supply always on hand. Provide oyster shell and charcoal, also.

Most farmers are able to place a fair valuation upon their farms, the crops and the livestock, who never have any kind of appreciation of the value of their wives. A good wife is a farmer's best asset. Cherish and love her. Let her know that you realize that it is her management and pluck which have brought the farm to what it is.

CHASE'S COACH GIFT TO NATION.

Venerable Vehicle in Which Lincoln Rode Is Well Preserved.

Washington.—An interesting relic of bygone days is soon to be presented to Uncle Sam for exhibition in one of the Washington museums. It is the old-fashioned coach which was used by Salmon P. Chase, back in the fifties.

For 24 years the vehicle has occupied an inconspicuous place in the salesrooms of Charles O. Young's carriage house. Now Mr. Young says he proposes to present the carriage to the government free of any cost.

It is his hope that it may be made an exhibit in the National museum.

The venerable coach was probably constructed about 60 years ago. It is



Chase's Chaise to Be Presented to the Government.

still in good state of preservation, for in those olden times vehicles and other things were constructed solidly and to withstand the ravages of time, like the fabled "parson's one-hoss shay."

In 1862 the old coach was said to be the handsomest equipage in Washington. It transported through the streets the reigning society queen of that time, the daughter of Salmon P. Chase, or, as she is remembered, Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague.

The vehicle is quaint and bulky and sadly out of date. But it bears many traces of departed elegance. A well-worn footboard in its rear was for the liveried footmen in their buff and green suits. They held on by two thick strap handles.

The front box seat for the driver is draped like that of a hearse of to-day. The interior of the coach is lined with heavy lilac satin, which is likewise well preserved. The carriage has a seating capacity for six people.

Chase, when secretary of the treasury in 1861, rode in the coach back and forth from his office. Many distinguished men of that time on occasions rode with him. It is related that no less a personage than Abraham Lincoln, who had an aversion to carriages, rode with Chase in the old coach more than once.

It has much the appearance of more ancient colonial coaches, and has a platform in the rear for trunks and other luggage. The coat of arms of Rhole Island was emblazoned on the doors by order of Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, in honor of her husband's state. The design is still bright and well preserved. The doors have inside ivory handles, with silver handles on the outside and also silver axle caps.

Mr. Young's father got the coach in exchange for a more modern vehicle from Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague after her divorce from Sprague, when she had resumed the name of Chase.

The carriage is hung with steel springs and bears other marks of the ante-bellum days. His value now is as a relic.

NEW GOVERNOR OF MAINE.

Bert M. Fernald Is Wealthy Farmer and Canner.

Portland, Me.—Bert M. Fernald, who has been elected governor of Maine,



Bert M. Fernald.

is a wealthy farmer and proprietor of a large cannery. He has a farm of 300 acres at South Poland that is one of the finest in the east, and lives on it because he prefers it to a city home. Born on a farm, he has lived on one all his life. Mr Fernald is 50 years old. His education from books was meager, because at the age of 13 he became a bread winner, but his contact with men and affairs has made him well informed and polished. He has served in the legislature and two years ago sought the Republican nomination for governor, but was defeated

A Thought Modernly Applied.

"All the world's a stage," said the man who quotes.

"Yes," answered the cynical citizen, "and some of the worst actors in the outfit are doing the most talking about elevating it."—Washington Star.

The Farmer's Answer.

"By the way," said the summer boarder, "how do you harvest your ice crop here?"

"With a sickle, uv course," answered the old farmer, with a large, open-faced grin.—Chicago Daily News.

A number of cases of zinc poisoning on board men-of-war have been found to be due to the zinc slabs fitted in the ships' filter tanks.

See Value of Frozen Milk.

The advantages of distributing milk in frozen form are being recognized in Europe. Freezing, unlike scalding, causes no alteration, and the frozen milk can be kept unchanged for several weeks. Cream remains diffused throughout the liquid, while bacteria are greatly lessened.

Source of Knowledge.

Blox—"I see by the market reports that butter is a little stronger." Knox—"Yes, I discovered the fact at my boarding house this morning."

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CALLED FOR SOME PUNISHMENT.

Prisoner Altogether Too Deliberate for Life in Arizona.

Arizona Judge (to defendant in an assault-and-battery case)—You say the complainant called you a liar and horse thief at least a dozen times before you knocked him down, eh?

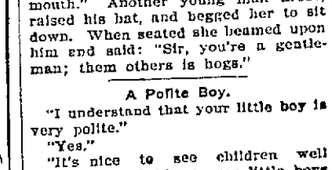
Defendant—Yes, sir.

Judge—He said you were a coward and quitter?

Defendant—He did.

Judge—All right. I'll let you off on the assault charge; but—don't be in a hurry, mister—I reckon I'll have to fine you jest about $50 for not knocking him down sooner! The sheriff will take you in tow and see that you cough up the dust before you pass out.—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

NOT DOLLARS, BUT EGGS.



First Thespian—When I was playing in Kansas City and getting my 200 a night—

Second Ditto—Hold on, there, Monty; make that five!

First Thespian—No, Jack; upon my honor—200 a night regular. Eggs are cheap there.

Push-and-Pull Exercise.

One of the fat-inclined men of New York has a novel method of keeping himself in fine fettle. It is a push-and-pull exercise. In the basement of his home, which has a level concrete floor, he has installed several wheeled objects. One is a safe weighing two tons. Another is a box of chains that used to belong on a Staten Island ferry boat as a balance; it weighs 9,000 pounds. Still another is a cast-off bullion cart that used to do duty in the assay office; it weighs 1,000 pounds, but may be loaded with pig iron up to 16,000 pounds. The exercise consists in pulling and pushing these vehicles over the floor, and, judging by the development of our friend, it is effective. His general strength is prodigious, and there is no muscle-binding.—New York Press.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

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A Polite Boy.

"I understand that your little boy is very polite."

"Yes."

"It's nice to see children well brought up. I like to see little boys get up and give their seats to ladies."

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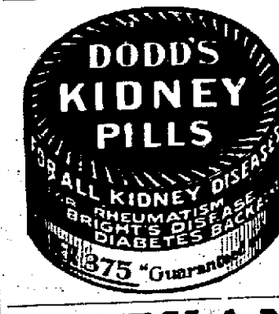
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All's to be feared where all's to be gained.—Byron.



NASTY.



He—You are getting on fine. She—Am I swimming gracefully? He—Um—yes. All except your face.

How It Felt.

An Irish maid in the service of a Washington family recently sought permission of her mistress to take an afternoon off for the purpose of consulting a dentist.

Upon her return, the mistress said: "Well, Rosalie, did you have the tooth filled?"

"I did, mum."

"And what did the dentist fill it with—gold or amalgam?"

"I don't know just what it was, mum; but from the way I feel, I should think it was with thunder and lightning, mum."

Showed Practice.

"You say she suspects that in years gone by her husband was a burglar?"

"She feels sure of it."

"Why, in the name of goodness?"

"Because, when he gets up at night to get the baby a drink he never falls over the furniture."—Houston Post.

Contrary Comfort.

As the spirited horses dashed on the fair maiden clung in a paroxysm of terror to the swaying seat.

"Oh, John," she cried, "can you stop them?"

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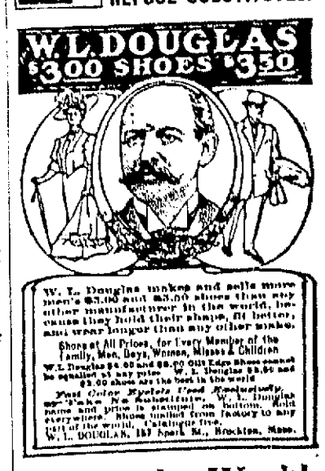
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In a Nut Shell

Shall we tax large incomes in America, as is done by the progressive republics of Switzerland and France, also in Germany and England?

The democratic platform says yes.

The republican platform silent.

Shall we elect United States Senators by a direct vote, thus making it difficult, if not impossible, for millionaires to control the nation through the Upper House?

The democratic platform says yes.

The republican platform silent.

Shall we take the duty off trust controlled articles with arbitrary prices fixed upon the customer without regard to laws of supply and demand, all competition having thus been throttled?

The democratic platform says yes.

The republican platform silent.

Shall a reasonable tax be paid by banks to create a guarantee fund to protect depositors, thus preventing runs on banks and money panics and thereby bringing into circulation hoarded wealth?

The democratic platform says yes.

The republican platform silent.

The scandalous and dangerous corruption by the use of enormous campaign funds points to the decay of a free government. Shall we know before election, through publicity, from whence and from whom came these great contributions?

The democratic platform says yes.

The republican platform silent.

Shall we have billion dollar sessions of Congress and a vast array of office holders dictating presidential nominations?

The democratic platform condemns.

Republican platform necessarily silent.

New Form of Ballot.

A new form of ballot will be used at the election in November. One cross at the top will still vote the entire ticket, including candidates for the state, congressional, legislative and county offices and presidential electors. This may be done by putting a cross in the circle at the top of the ticket.

But the change comes in that the presidential electors are no longer at the head of the ticket. They are now at the bottom and in a division set off by itself. The candidates for governor head the ticket and are followed down in order by the other candidates for state offices, then the candidates for congress, for the legislature and then the county offices. And way down below all these come the names of the candidates for the presidential electors.

Each Spent a Fortune.

In sworn statements filed in the office of Secretary of State Frear, S. A. Cook of Neenah and William H. Hatton of New London, defeated candidates for the republican nomination for United States senator, acknowledge that they together spent over $56,000 in the campaign. Mr. McGovern spent over $11,000 and Mr. Stephenson, the successful candidate, who has not yet filed his statement, as he has until after his election to do so (this is an opinion by the attorney general), will bring the total cost of the Wisconsin senatorial contest up to probably over $100,000.

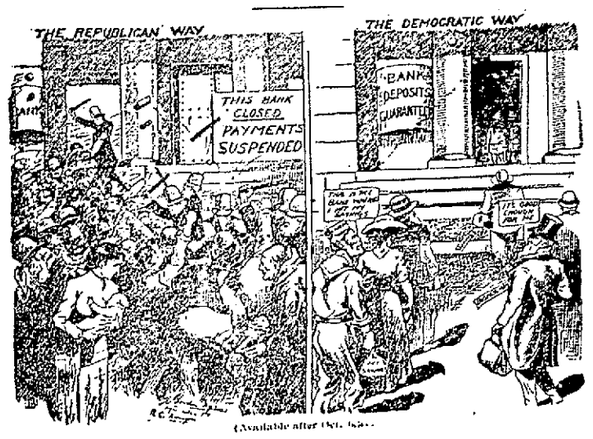
Mr. Hatton spent a total of $26,413.08. Mr. Cook's total is $30,537.65.

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A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

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OMAHA BEE "STUNG"

RAPS ITS OWN PLATFORM BY SEVERELY CRITICISING REPUBLICAN TARIFF PLANK.

LONGWORTH ON DYNASTY

PRESIDENT'S SON-IN-LAW DECLARES 8 YEARS TAFT—THEN ROOSEVELT.

Republicans Are Incensed at the Remarks Made by Longworth in His Rock Island (Ill.) Speech on the Succession of Presidency.

The Omaha Bee, published by Victor Rosewater, member of the Republican national committee, and head of the Republican campaign publicity bureau, has made the blunder of criticising vigorously part of the tariff plank of the Republican platform, the writer being under the impression that he was really pouring hot shot into Mr. Bryan. The Democratic leader, in a recent speech, had quoted that part of the Republican platform which is criticised.

The editorial in Mr. Rosewater's paper goes on the theory that this language was Mr. Bryan's own, the writer failing to notice that the language was really part of the platform on which Mr. Taft is running.

The consequence of this is that Mr. Bryan and his friends have on a broad grin and they think that the antics at Fairview are likely to spread to all Democrats in the country.

The words complained of in the Bee editorial were these:

"In all tariff legislation the true principle is best maintained by the imposition of such duties as will equal the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad, together with reasonable profit to American industries."

The Bee went on to puncture this language in the following style:

"Nothing prettier in the catch-all line has been offered in this campaign. The most hide-bound standpatter in the country can accept that as satisfactory and the rankest free trader can find delight in it. The declaration means simply nothing. An attempt to legislate along that line would simply open the way to interminable wrangling as to what constitutes 'a reasonable profit,' for hair-splitting on wages on one industry, price of raw materials in another, rebates and drawbacks in a third and so on through the list of thousands of articles that are now on the tariff revision, at Bryan's direction, would serve only to halt industrial and commercial progress and keep business unsettled during his term of office."

The Omaha World-Herald shows that the words complained of are not a part of any speech of Mr. Bryan, but a part of the tariff plank of the Republican platform.

Mr. Bryan had this to say when the matter was called to his attention:

"I am very much surprised that Mr. Rosewater should have attempted to misrepresent my position. A good many unfair things have been said, but nothing more unfair than that said by Mr. Rosewater. To accuse me of using the language of the Republican platform is an outrage. He ought to apologize for this injustice and explain to his readers that the language which he criticises was taken from the Republican platform and not from any speech of mine.

"This is a rich find. It shows how absurd the Republican platform looks to a Republican when the Republican has a chance to look at it in a disinterested way. When Mr. Rosewater thought that the language quoted was taken from a speech of mine he could see how ridiculous the language was. I hope that his opinion of the language will not change when he finds that he was shooting at his own platform instead of at me.

"The amusing blunder of the Omaha Bee suggests a new diversion for the campaign. Let the Democrats accuse me of using various sections from the Republican platform and from Mr. Taft's speeches and see how the Republican editors will ridicule the language."

No utterance of the campaign has attracted more attention than the prediction of Congressman Nicholas Longworth, the president's son-in-law, who in a speech at Rock Island, Ill., declared that after eight years of Taft, it would be Roosevelt in the White House again. This utterance has caused Republican campaign managers no little annoyance. The Republican view of the incident is well set forth by the Chicago Inter Ocean, one of the leading Republican papers in the entire west. The Inter Ocean said:

"The Hon. Nicholas Longworth proposed to 10,000 American citizens in Rock Island on Friday that Mr. Taft should be made president of the United States for the next eight years and Mr. Roosevelt for the eight years following Mr. Taft's second term.

"As Mr. Longworth is President Roosevelt's son-in-law, his words are accepted usually as semi-official for the White House. This is the unfortunate feature of his utterance in the present instance.

"The American people are not looking for a lord protector. Even the most ardent admirers of Mr. Roosevelt would not care to make him another Diaz.

"With some eight years of the presidency behind him next March and with eight years of Mr. Taft before him, Mr. Roosevelt, according to his son-in-law's ideas, would be able to celebrate on March 4, 1925, nearly a quarter of a century of personal rule over this republic.

"Such a program is not one to be announced just now, incredible and impossible as it seems. Especially it is not one to be announced from the bosom of Mr. Roosevelt's family. Good politics and good taste are both against such utterances.

"Aside from Mr. Longworth's plain assumption that Mr. Taft's two terms would not constitute even a substantial interregnum—with which no real friend of Mr. Taft can agree—such remarks regarding the institution of a Roosevelt dynasty are not only shocking but absolutely damaging to the Republican candidate and the Republican party."

Speaking of the Longworth incident, Mr. Josephus Daniels, chairman of the publicity bureau at Democratic headquarters, said:

"The people may take it in their heads in November to knock Mr. Longworth's nice family arrangement in the head by going outside the close corporation and family monopoly of the presidency. That would be sad for the son-in-law, but good for the country. The remark of Mr. Longworth shows that long tenures in office for one party makes those in power think they own the government, if for no other reason than to teach the son-in-law and others near the throne that this is a republic, the voters will decide upon a change in November."

WHERE IS HIS HEART?

Gov. Hughes of New York, Who Was Elected by Rockefeller and Morgan Money, Telling Western People How to Vote.

The Republican campaign managers have dispatched Gov. Hughes of New York to the west to tell the farmers and workingmen how to vote. This is the same Gov. Hughes who, according to a sworn statement by his campaign manager, was elected governor of the state as the result of contributions by the leading trust magnates in the nation. The following is a partial list of contributors to Gov. Hughes:

J. Pierpont Morgan, Boss of Wall street	$20,000
Levi P. Morton, Trust Magnate	20,000
John D. Rockefeller, Standard Oil King	5,000
Chauncey M. Depew, Railroad and Standard Oil Senator	5,000
John W. Gates, Stock Gambler	2,000
William Nelson Cromwell, Harriman's trust lawyer and the man whom Judge Taft selected for membership on the Republican Financial Advisory and Executive Committee	1,000

Scores of other trust magnates, including Havemeyer, head of the Sugar trust, Duke, head of the Tobacco trust, and Arbuckle, of the Coffee trust, contributed substantially towards Gov. Hughes' election. The New York executive has engagements in practically every western state. Whose interests do you suppose he has at heart? Those of the farmers and workingmen in the west, whom he has never seen, and whom he is going to tell how to vote, or the trust magnates who made possible his election and whose contributions to his cause are a matter of official record in the state capitol at Albany.

BIG BANKERS OPPOSE

Guaranteeing Deposits, But They Are Willing to Have Postal Savings Bank That Will Carry Money to Cities.

Mr. Taft says he is in favor of postal savings banks—so does the Republican platform. The Republican party has been in power 12 years. Why hasn't it established postal savings banks? Mr. Taft opposes guaranteeing bank deposits. The Republicans in Kansas, Nebraska, Wisconsin and other states advocate guaranteeing deposits, but the big bankers oppose this protection. What the big bankers say goes with the Republicans. Why do they wish postal savings banks? Because they know the money deposited in postal savings banks would go into the big banks and strengthens their control of the finances of the country.

Why Colds Are Dangerous.

Because you have contracted ordinary colds and recovered from them without treatment of any kind, do not for a moment imagine that colds are not dangerous. Everyone knows that pneumonia and chronic catarrh have their origin in a common cold. Consumption is not caused by a cold but the cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs that would not otherwise have found lodgment. It is the same with all infectious diseases. Diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough are much more likely to be contracted when the child has a cold. You will see from this that more real danger lurks in a cold than in any other of the common ailments. The easiest and quickest way to cure a cold is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The many remarkable cures effected by this preparation have made it a staple article of trade over a large part of the world. For sale by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

For Chapped Skin.

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Woman Interrupts Political Speaker

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DEXTERVILLE.

Misses Lucy Pinney and Agnes Keenan of Dexter and Misses Hale and Waggenson of Veedum attended the institute in your city last week.

Frank Corcoran, who has been down at Milwaukee taking in the sights of the city and attending the state fair, arrived home this week

Miss Anna Keenan, who has been seriously ill with heart trouble, is somewhat better at this writing.

Barney James had a load of hunters up in this neighborhood one day last week.

Mesdames Geo. Ward and Chas. Porter of Babcock were callers at the Andy Knutson home on Sunday.

F. P. Hiles, who recently purchased the Leon Miller farm, is making extensive improvements on that property. He brought down fifty head of cattle and a new separator and left them in charge of manager Smith last week.

Misses Lucy and Mary Pinney and brother Charles were up to Pittsville to attend the church fair that is being held in that city a few nights. Charles says the bridal chamber is worth going miles to see.

Joe James was in Pittsville on business on Monday.

Geo. W. Lyons of your city was a caller at the Andy Knutson home on Tuesday.

REMINGTON

Mrs Paul Damme drove to Babcock last week.

Mrs. James McLaughlin called at the Casey and Bowden homes Tuesday.

Alice Casey spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Joe and Pete Summers drove to Pittsville Friday.

Mrs. L. Ward was calling on friends in the country Sunday.

May Casey came up from New Lisbon for a short vacation Sunday morning.

Saved His Boy's Life.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

SIGEL.

There will be a necktie party on the evening of the 18th at the residence of Chas. Granfors for the benefit of the new Swedish Lutheran church. A general invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Rev. Rosander was calling on Sigel people on Friday for the purpose of securing subscriptions for the new Swedish Lutheran church which it is proposed to build in Grand Rapids. The reports are that he met with fairly good success.

The Y. P. S. was held at Simon Worlund's last Saturday night and was fairly well attended.

Everybody who attended the basket social at Mr. Holstrum's reported a fine time.

Misses Ida and Emilia Worlund were in Grand Rapids last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Belvidere, Ill., are visiting friends here. Mr. Hill owned a farm here a few years ago.

Eric Newman of Grand Rapids was visiting with friends here.

E. Linquist and O. Carlson departed for Rockford, Ill., last week Saturday.

Miss Mary Colman was visiting at Gust Anderson's place last Sunday.

The speech which was given in the Polish hall Monday night was well attended. Everybody there enjoyed the speech very much.

Misses Annie and Mary Nelson of your city were in this neighborhood last Sunday.

NEKOOSA.

(From the Times.)

Unless all signs fail, Nekoosa is to be represented next season by a stronger baseball team than this year. the membership of the local association being now large and growing. Unlike most organizations the monthly dues are fixed by the joiner himself who subscribes a certain amount which he will pay to the treasurer each month for the next ten months, the first payment (for October) to be paid on or before the tenth day of the month and each of the remaining nine payments to be made on or before the tenth of each succeeding month.

The wedding of Miss Lena Wittenberg to Rev. George Fierke took place at the German Lutheran church at one o'clock last Tuesday. Rev. H. Maack of the German Lutheran church on the East side Grand Rapids officiating, Rev. Wm. Giesselmann of Sigel and Rev. Ed Wachholtz of Lyndon being also in attendance, the church being well filled with members of the congregation and others.

The Nekoosa baseball mangement has been fortunate in booking the famous Troubadours for a concert and dance at Brooks' hall on Tuesday evening, October 27.

Potato Crop is Short.

Only a little more than half of a full potato crop will be harvested this year in Wisconsin, according to information received by John M. True, secretary of the state board of agriculture. Secretary True, fearing that the late potato crop of the state had been seriously affected by the late protracted drouth which was broken only recently had correspondence with his crop reporters in the potato growing counties of the state and from estimates received places the crop at 85 per cent of a full one. Reports generally agree that the quality of potatoes this year will be above the average, but the yield will be ligther. Corn on heavy siols has been benefitted by the dry weather and is now beyond danger from frost.

For Chronic Diarrhoea.

"While in the army in 1863 I was taken with chronic diarrhoea," says George M. Felton of South Gibson, Pa. "I have since tried many remedies but without any permanent relief, until Mr. A. W. Miles, of this place, persuaded me to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, one bottle of which stopped it at once." For sale by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

VESPER.

Mike Kane returned last week from Almena, where he went to receive treatment from Dr. Till. He was accompanied by D Woodruff.

James Garret returned on Monday from a weeks visit at Millston.

Wells M. Ruggles, Democratic candidate for congress from this district, spoke at the opera house on Friday night before the Bryan club. Mr. Ruggles had a good crowd and gave them an interesting speech. It is safe to say Mr. Ruggles made many votes here.

Dave Woodruff spent Friday in Grand Rapids visiting with Chas. Natwick.

We understand that Messrs. Woodruff and Garrett contemplate moving their saw mill from here. This would be a big loss to our farmers and it is honed they can be induced to stay.

Mike Kane and Dave Woodruff Sr. made a trip to Turtle Lake to see Dr. Till last week.

Contractor Louis Johnson has begun the wall for Will Cole's new house.

Merchant H. Dassow has been buying potatoes for the past three or four weeks.

The new iron bridge over the Hemlock creek has been completed.

School began Monday after a two weeks vacation with Miss Martha Hinz as teacher.

Two brothers of C. W. Wittig's have been visiting him here the past week.

A new street has been made from the union depot to the south part of the village.

We understand that the Vesper Safety Clevis and Malleable Iron Co. is now a sure thing. The officers of the new company have been here and have the ground staked out for the building which will be erected soon.

Harry Cole has sold his house and lots to one of the members of the new company.

The onion business has been resumed. The onions which have been in drying sheds here for the past month are now being sorted and shipped to the pickling factories.

Mrs. J. White and daughter Mabel visited at the Rouhan home in Sigel last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gumm and family spent Sunday at Hansen.

The next meeting of the Bryan club will be held Friday night.

The republicans have arranged for having a meeting in the opera house on Saturday night.

A Jeweler's Experience.

C. R. Kluger, The Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

HANSEN

Too Late for Last Week.

The little Baade boy who was badly cut by a mower during August, and who has been an inmate of the hospital at Grand Rapids since, was brought home last week. Although unable to stand on the injured member yet, he will eventually have the full use of the foot and leg.

A. Albert of Chilton visited relatives here the fore part of the week.

Mrs. John Marshall of Highland, Wis., arrived here Saturday and will spend the winter with the Zahora family.

The road, popularly known as the Henke road voted to be constructed at the last town meeting, was completed this week under the supervision of roadmaster Buss.

Potato digging is about finished hereabouts, and now the busy farmer devotes his attention to fall plowing and whatever of seeding is still undone.

RUDOLPH

The members of the E. F. U. will meet at the Geo. Rivers home next Saturday night. The E. F. U. is a fraternal organization. Fraternal means brotherly love., so don't wait till we go after you with a brass band and a hack, but show that you are a possessor as well as a professor of Fraternity and attend.

Wm. Kurtz and Mrs. Andrew Sharer visited with Mr. Kurtz's sister last Saturday.

Bat Sharkey is figuring on selling out and moving to Canada.

Geo. Rivers took a load of pork to the Rapids last week and received eight cents per pound.

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The Rev. Lewis Stedley, of Weatherly, Pa., writes:

"Our baby boy's little face was so dreadfully covered with eczema that blood and water ran from the sores nearly all the time. After using 3½ bottles of D. D. D. Prescription we are so happy to tell you he is entirely cured and the disease has never broken out again. If this letter is in any way a help to other sufferers, you may publish it."

If you have a child which is suffering with this terrible itch, we are sure you will not neglect one hour to give your baby the right kind of relief. We have seen too often how quickly the remedy mentioned above takes the itch away at once and how all the cures seem to be permanent; we have seen this too often to hesitate at all in recommending the remedy for your children. John E. Daly.

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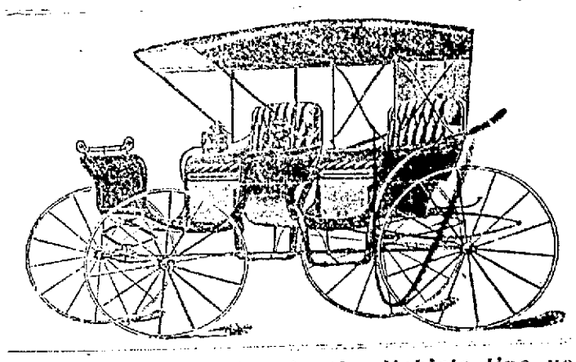
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LOCAL ITEMS.

—Get the habit and eat Chile at "Gott's."

George Kern of City Point transacted business in the city on Monday.

Russell Hanson spent Sunday in Nancy, the guest of station agent, Bert Cleveland.

Verne Rumsey has been in Waupaca several days this week where he went on business.

Will Sweet has accepted a position with Guy Gotts and will assist him in his candy factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lutz spent several days in Milwaukee the past week on business.

Earl Hill came up from Madison on Saturday to attend the funeral of his brother, Clark.

—A fine box of chocolates for 25 cents at Gott's on sale Saturdays and Sundays.

—In all the world nothing like E. W. Barker's Cough Remedy. It cures. All druggists.

Chief of Police A. F. Gorwing of Marshfield transacted business at the court house on Friday.

Rev. C. B. Blakeslee left on Monday for Milwaukee to attend a convention for a few days

Mrs Celia Garrison and daughter Caroline, returned on Friday from a weeks visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Kate Townsend departed on Saturday for an extended visit with relatives in Woodstock, Ill.

—Mahara the minstrel at Daly's.

Guy Margruff of Stevens Point was in the city on Friday visiting with his friend Guy Gotts.

Bert McDonald, who is attending Ripon College, came up on Friday to visit his people over Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Kellogg left on Thursday for Unidilla, where she will visit her grandparents for a week.

Will Ghodey of Lona has been spending several days in the city the past week visiting with friends.

Mrs. Wm. E. Little of Marshfield spent Friday and Saturday in the city the guest of Mrs. H. C. McCamp.

—Don't miss seeing Mahara's minstrels at Daly's Theater on Tuesday the 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young of the west side will celebrate their golden wedding on Monday, October 19th.

T. J. Cooper was confined to his home several days last week with illness but is able to be about again

—FOR SALE—A Pope-Toledo automobile in good condition. Tires all new and everything in fine shape. See A. P. Hitzy.

Herman Boettcher is having a new cement walk laid in front of his premises, which completes the walk as far out as 10th street.

—LOST—A Cocker Spaniel Black with short tail. Reward for information leading to his discovery. Ted Payne, south side.

Rev. Fred Staff was in Madison last week where he went as a delegate to the meeting of the Wisconsin Association of Congregational churches.

Edw. Lynch, Alex Muic and Geo. W. Baker returned on Friday from Montello where they had been for several days the guest of Mr. Lynch.

—On Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 17th and 18th we will serve a 10 cent Sundae or soda for 5 cents at "Gotts."

Mrs. W. H Cochrain and Mrs Beulah Biron left on Tuesday for Chicago where they expect to spend a few days taking in the sights and hopping.

Gust Kruger & Son, dealers in sand and coal, have established an office at the American express office on the east side where orders may be left for anything in their line.

Bob Bender is nursing a very sore hand, having cut one of his fingers on a lath saw. The member is improving but it will be some time before he will be able to use his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nash departed on Friday night for Battle Creek, Mich., where Mr. Nash will receive treatment. They were accompanied by their son Guy, who will return this week.

—LOST—A piece of flowered tapestry wrapped in newspaper somewhere on First or Second street. Finder will receive reward by bringing to this office.

—Frank Mahara's minstrels is booked for Daly's theater on the 20th.

Mesdames Frank Boles, Neal Crowns, Vilas and Marlatt of Nekoosa were in the city shopping on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Carey of Monroe Center is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Ora Odell for a week.

O. A. Everts of Ashland, an old school mate of L. M. and T. E. Nash, spent Saturday in the city.

The Jewish people of Marshfield and vicinity are making arrangements to build a synagogue. The congregation will consist of about 25 families.

Miss Mildred Allie returned to her home in Irma on Thursday after a weeks visit with relatives in the city.

The painters of this city have formed a union the past week and start out with a membership of twenty.

Will Nash departed on Sunday night for Chicago and Duluth where he will spend about two weeks on business.

T. H. Thornton returned on Sunday from Madison where he had been attending the state meeting of the Baptist church.

Mrs. M. H. Jackson returned on Friday from Madison where she had been attending the Congregational church convention.

—There will be a dance at the Eagles hall next Monday evening by the Maeder orchestra. You are invited to be there.

Mrs. I. Barnett returned on Friday from Milwaukee and Chicago where she had been purchasing goods for the Heineman Mercantile Co.

—Maeders orchestra, will be here on Monday evening, Oct. 19th at the Eagles hall to play for a dance. The public is given a cordial invitation to attend.

There will be a regular meeting of the Bryan Club at the G. A. R. Hall on Thursday night. A good speaker will be on hand and all members are requested to be present.

Gus Lundgren, one of the solid farmers of the town of Rudolph, was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday while in the city attending to some business matters.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a rummage sale on Saturday in the LaBroche building. They will make a specialty of winter clothing for children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap of Menominee, Mich., who have been visiting at the home of Rev. H. B. Johnson during the past week, left for their home last week.

Frank Wheelan leaves this week for Dakota where he will try a drum for a homestead in the Rosebud Indian Reservation which will be thrown open for homesteading this month.

Mrs. Joe Zabawa is spending several weeks visiting with her parents at Finley. Mr. Zabawa expects to join her the latter part of the week and will spend a week in that locality hunting.

Moon, the speedy young pitcher who played with the home ball team this summer and finished up with Menasha in the Lake Shore League, has been signed for next season by Fond du Lac.

—FOUND—A large pocket book near the opera house on Saturday night. Contains keys and some silver. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

The Charles Kellogg home on the west side is being greatly improved in appearance by the addition of a large veranda which is being built in place of the old one which was torn down last week.

Mrs. Isadore Livernash of Wausau was in the city on Friday transacting business and calling on her friends. Mrs. Livernash has rented the Hoffman House at Wausau and will take possession this week.

Miss Della Jones arrived in the city on Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones for a short time. Miss Jones has been attending school for trained nurse at Joliet, Ill., and has just completed her course.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Reilly left last Thursday for the east expecting to be absent a couple of weeks visiting with friends and relatives. They expect to visit at Washington, D. C., New York, Niagara Falls and several other points of interest.

John Kissinger, of Stratford was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday while in the city. Mr. Kissinger was at one time employed as book keeper at the Johnson & Hill Co's store, but for the past five years has held a similar position with the R. Connor Co. at Stratford.

Fred Reusch of the town of Hansen was in the city on Monday and while here favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call. Fred reports that everything is looking like Bryan out his way, and that there is every indication that the democratic nominees will win out.

Mrs. W. O. McGlynn, who has been visiting in the west for a couple of months past, returned to her home in this city on Saturday. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Jessie John of Portland, Oregon, who will visit with the family here for a short time.

The ladies of St. Katharine's Guild held a very successful harvest supper at the Guild hall on Thursday evening, there being a large crowd in attendance. After the supper a musical service was held in the church which was largely attended and enjoyed by all.

Messrs. J. J. Jeffrey, Henry Demitz and Wilbur Herschleb returned on Thursday from a weeks hunting trip at Crandmoor where they were the guests of Art Podawiltz on the Arpin marsh. They killed considerable game and report a most pleasant outing.

Mrs. P. T. Dessaint, who has been spending the past six weeks here looking after some business matters, left on Monday for Vesta, N. D., where she is living on a homestead. Mrs. Dessaint reports that she is getting along nicely in her new home and that she is well satisfied with the change.

The Harvey Stock company that showed at the opera house on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of last week drew out good sized houses and produced some very good shows. They carried with them a good band and orchestra which was no small part of the entertainment.

The old blacksmith shop belonging to Dr. James Welch has been moved from the river bank to the lot across the way recently purchased from L. Kremor, and there will be quite an improvement in the appearance of things in that quarter when the place is leveled off and put in proper condition.

A horse belonging to William Hanson ran away on Saturday afternoon while Mr. and Mrs. Hanson were out driving and they were thrown from the rig, but escaped without injury. The horse also struck a rig belonging to Thos. Rozin and the thills on both buggies were broken but nobody was hurt.

Jos. Simpson, who has been in the hospital in this city since the wreck at Almond on the Northwestern road, was taken home on Saturday having recovered sufficiently so that he is able to get about with the help of crutches and somebody to aid him. He was accompanied by Ben Bonnet, who came down from Marshfield for the purpose of accompanying him home.

A tramp by the name of Joseph Miller was recently arrested at Stevens Point who is thought to have been mixed up in the Ladysmith bank robbery. The hobo when searched was found to have $485 on his person and a large revolver. Whether or not the man is a bank robber the amount of money on his person would seem a trifle suspicious for a tramp to be lugging around.

They do things differently up at Marshfield from what we do here. Recently a piece of land was donated to the city for park purposes, which was accepted by the city council, but Mayor Roddis vetoed the proposition and refused to accept the land, claiming that the city did not need any parks and that it was only an added expense to the city. What do you know about that? Here we are paying out good money for park purposes every day.

At the Baptist church Sunday Rev. E. B Edmunds of Beaver Dam will preach morning and evening. Mr. Edmunds is now completing his fortieth year of continuous service as Sunday school missionary in this state. He has many warm friends in this vicinity and they will do well to come and hear him as it is more than likely this will be his last public appearance as a minister in this city, his successor being already on the field.

—Dr. F. B. Brewer is a man of integrity of character, candid in his medical examinations, and possessing an experience in chronic diseases. Persons having old chronic ailments will do well to give him a call. He has won many encomiums from those suffering from various diseases, and the press everywhere speak of him in high praise. His next visit to the Hotel Witter will be on Wednesday, Oct. 28th. Consultation is free.

Vincent E. Bliss, who for the past four years has been making his home at Waupun where he has been leading the Whiting orchestra, arrived in the city on Friday with the intention of locking about and if there is a demand for his services, of locating here. Mr. Bliss is a violinist of considerable ability and will engage in the teaching of this instrument. Mr. Bliss is a brother to Prof. Bliss of this city.

The Ideal Theater opened on Thursday night and the place has since been favored with a good attendance right along. The Messrs. Smart have entirely remodeled the interior of the building so that it presents a handsome appearance. Then the seating is done with folding opera chairs, which adds greatly to the ease and comfort of the spectators. The interior decorations are neat and tasty and altogether the place promises to be a popular place of amusement.

The Stevens Point Journal, says: "A monument that weighed 50,000 pounds, that cost $28,000 and that required one whole car to transport it, was one of the carloads brought up in Conductor C. B. Baker's train from Montello. The car will go through to Andersonville, Ga., where the monument, which is in 18 pieces, will be erected in honor of Indiana soldiers who died in that famous prison pen. The monument, which is of Montello granite was made upon an order from the state of Indiana. The freight on it from Montello to Adersonville was $280."

—Mahara's minstrels, 25 colored people, at Daly's theater on the evening of the 20th.

Geo. B. McMillan returned on Saturday night from Berlin where he had spent a couple of days visiting with old friends.

The Grand Rapids Cigar Company have moved to quarters over Ted & Jim's saloon on the east side, where they have commodious quarters for the business.

The Anderson Carriage Co have secured quarters in the large building belonging to John Farrish on the east side into which they expect to move in the near future.

Mrs. E L. Baumgartner of Madison arrived in the city last week to join her husband, who has been in this city for several weeks past, being associated with J. T. Schumacher.

—Mahara's Minstrels at Daly's theater on the 20th

Democratic Speeches.

F. J. Wood of New York and Wells M. Roggles, the latter being the democratic candidate for congress from this district, spoke at the G. A. R. hall on Thursday evening on the political issues. Notwithstanding the fact that there was but very little notice given of the meeting there was a good crowd in attendance and both of the gentlemen gave some very pertinent facts concerning the campaign. Both of the gentlemen are good talkers and their speeches were enjoyed by those present.

1200 Licenses Issued.

County Clerk George Davis reports that up to the present time he has issued 1200 hunting licenses which is a larger number than ever issued before in the present time.

"Where the Brook and River Meet"

—That is the time—at the meeting of the ways—when so much is at stake for the girl of today, who will be the woman of tomorrow. Her every look must be weighed and her every act guided by the care of maternal experience, which balances all things in the scales of its own troublesome years. Then and then only may the exacting period be passed without temptation and without folly.

But the story of "Miss Petticoats," the successful book and equally successful play, is one which has to do with the girl who is brought more vividly to our attention every day, the motherless factory girl. Her number is legion, in this as in every country, and it requires little imagination to picture the life of this heroine of story and stage, "Miss Petticoats."

Suffice it to say, it is a strong and intensely interesting portrayal of the characters we are constantly with, and as an up-to-date presentation of a distinctly human and timely subject, has met with the public's approval.

"Miss Petticoats" has made hosts of friends on its tour of this country, and the lovers of good fiction are promised a treat on Nov. 9, 1908 when this company with all its scenic accessories comes to the Grand Opera House of Grand Rapids.

Bank Guaranteeing.

Mr. Taft seems to think or tries to think that the proposition of Mr. Bryan to guarantee the money of depositors is but little short of anarchy. Now Mr. Taft's plan is for the government to establish postal savings banks. By this means which he proposes, the depositor will take his money to the post office and have it entered in his book like the bank, and the money that the post office receives from the depositer will be deposited in the national banks of the country; here is where Mr Taft's argument is torn to tatters and riddled to shreds. After the post office has received this money from the people, they do not turn one dollar of that money over to the banks until they have a guarantee that every dollar will be returned to the government. Now if the government demands a guarantee before they will deposit their own money in a national bank, why should not the depositor have a guarantee when he denosits his all in the bank? It is a well known fact that the different banks that the government designate as depositories in which the government funds are deposited for the benefit of circulation guarantee every dollar of it. Now why should not the individual as well as the government be guaranteed?

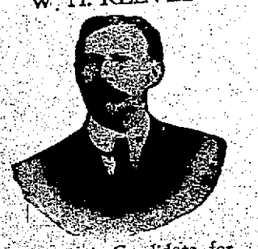
This all goes to show that the republicans have no plea to make to the people and that they have been unable to answer any of the Democratic arguments.

MICHAEL GRIFFIN



Democratic Candidate for
SHERIFF
of Wood County

W. H. REEVES



Democratic Candidate for
REGISTER OF DEEDS
Wood County

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Circulation of books from the public library for the month of September shows a decrease of 216 since the report for August.

Philosophy	1
Religion	12
Sociology	19
Language	0
Natural Science	17
Useful arts	12
Fine Arts	18
Literature	62
History	39
Travel	85
Biography	19
Fiction	1010
Renting Collection	18
German	7
Periodicals	59
Total	1368

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kind of an operation with a big reputation behind it. EVERY Patient a Grateful Booster. No matter how many failures you have had, I will SUCCEED and do it PAINLESS, QUICK AND SURE.

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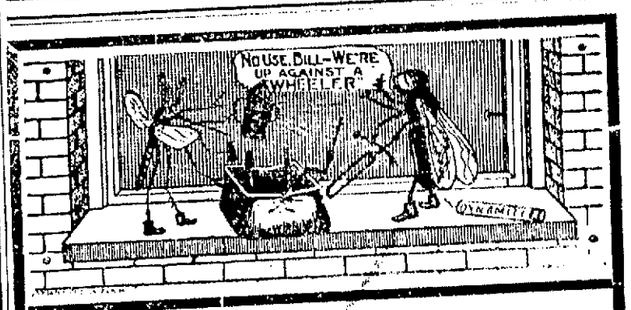
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presidential race. ... merit, somewhat unusual in recent elections, that the candidate for the vice-presidency has the confidence of his party so fully that no apprehension would be felt if he should be called to the presidency.

Taft and Tariff Reform.

The Republican platform calls for tariff revision. Mr. Taft says that this means increase of duties as well as a decrease. He also tells us that the panic of 1893 was caused by the Democratic tariff, which became law in August, 1894.

He must mean by this that the duties in that tariff were so low that they produced disaster to our industries. He must also mean that he would veto any tariff bill which called for such extreme reduction in taxes. Yet this was the bill which President Cleveland refused to sign because the reduction was so slight!

In the face of these facts how can any genuine tariff reformer support a candidate for president who thinks the Wilson tariff bill too extreme?

Sacrificing the West.

How much longer will it be before the west and middle west awake to the fact that from their standpoint the paramount issue of the present national campaign is the tariff? Why should the west keep on paying high prices for the enrichment of the eastern manufacturer?

Grand Rapids Tribune

BY DRUMB & SUTOR.

GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

England loses 60,000 persons every year by emigration.

It seems that a most inartistic temper may go with the artistic temperament.

This summer has been old-fashioned enough to satisfy the most exacting ice dealer.

York has produced an insane murder who is insane. Such a rare occurrence is worth noting.

A man named Wind won $15,000 in a Panama lottery, and, of course, blew it all in inside of a week.

If we are to believe the novelists, the good people who get into society are not worth writing about.

Sanitarianism, or half vegetarianism, has gained many converts since Minister Wu coined the new word.

Now and then Hetty Green lectures contemporary capitalists as if she regarded them merely as boy financiers.

South Dakota boy commits suicide because his mother won't let him go fishing. Won't mothers ever get any sense?

The Drago or Calvo doctrine is that private claims of foreigners against American countries shall not be collected by force.

The kaiser says that peace is assured. He adds incidentally in an offhand sort of way that he is keeping his powder dry.

Now the summer girl checks up her accounts, striving to strike a balance between her damaged complexion and her conquered young man.

Alaska is still a rather neglected region. But wait until a few centuries hence it becomes the center of the continent's coal supply.

Two policemen and a soldier exchanged 30 shots at Kansas City without hurting anybody. Is western marksmanship a myth?

Oysters are reported to be unusually fat this year. Evidently their feeding grounds were not much damaged owing to the drought.

A professional swindler of lawyers has been caught and not a single one of the profession has volunteered to build him a case of craziness.

In Denver a divorced woman millionaire married a detective set upon her track by her former husband. Detective work is full of hazards.

There is in Ohio a man who has written 21,000 words on a postcard. Now let him round out his useful career by trying to swim the English channel.

President Diaz has been invited to serve another term as ruler of Mexico. How the kings and sultans and czars and shahs of the effete east must envy him!

The moral seems to be that when travelers visit Yellowstone park they should carry no more rocks, particularly of the yellow variety, than are absolutely needed.

The falling off in attendance at medical colleges leads some to fear that we will have a shortage of doctors. The undertakers are expressing no alarm as yet, however.

In two recent instances a bull has attacked a locomotive, and in each case got the worst of it, although the last emotion of the bull may have been that of satisfaction.

A man has been arrested in Philadelphia for swindling several lawyers, hence it may be necessary to revise the old saying concerning the shrewdness of a Philadelphia lawyer.

A tiny Maltese cat has completed a trip from Holland, Mich., to San Francisco, a distance of 2,500 miles, in a drawer of a bureau wrapped in sacking and shipped by slow freight. When freight hands opened the bureau drawer the cat jumped out.

When traveling by train from Oroya to Lima, in Peru, the passengers were held up at Galera, 15,000 feet up in the mountains, by a fully armed band, who took some of the travelers as hostages. Fifteen soldiers who were in the train were disarmed, four being wounded and one shot in cold blood because he would not hand over his rifle to the miscreants.

"The Old Geezers' club" has been organized at Pittsburg. Only old men can belong to it, and the purpose of its members is to vote for old men, no matter what ticket they may be running on. It is expected that branches of the organization will be rapidly established throughout the country, and it may be that old age shall yet be respected in this proud land.

There is money in the by-products of the national mints, as well as in other industries. The San Francisco mint is about to have a new carpet placed in the adjusting room. But the second-hand man will not get the old carpet, which has been in service ten years. The carpet is literally lined with gold dust, and will be burned to secure the precious metal, which is expected to "pan-out" to the amount of $4,000 or $5,000. That, remarks the Chicago Record-Herald, is better than prospectors in the gold regions sometimes do.

TheThe Pacific is to be covered with stations for the wireless telegraph system. So will the ocean be brought into subjection to human enterprises and no more roll a chasm to be bridged for news only with expense of time and trouble. In short, it will probably be only a matter of comparatively short time when the sultan of Sulu will be calling up the White House on his wireless 'phone. Only, it is to be hoped, in his artless, heathen way, he will not order a few heads to be cut off every time he is informed the "line is busy."

A physiologist told a lot of Indiana teachers that up to six months of age monkeys were more intelligent than human babies. We are going to give this rash scientist the benefit of the doubt, says the Chicago Daily News, by assuming that he was not speaking of Chicago babies.

Gentle hazers out in California hanged their victim to a tree and left him dangling so long that he will lose his sight. Friends of the hazers will, of course, enter the good old plea that boys will be boys.

GREAT BRITAIN SENDS WARSHIPS TO AID TURKS

Squadron Despatched from Malta to Aegean Sea--Iswolsky Conferring with Sir Edward Grey--Rumelians Welcome the "Czar" of Bulgaria.

Valetta, Island of Malta.—The battleship Prince of Wales, flagship of Prince Louis of Battenberg, the battleship Glory, the cruisers Diana and Suffolk and the torpedo boat destroyers Angler and Banshee sailed Friday for the Aegean sea.

The squadron will be followed later by the battleship Canopus and the cruiser Minerva.

It is believed the warships are going to the Turkish island of Lemnos and will go to the sultan's aid if necessary.

Rumor of Conflict on Frontier.

Vienna.—A telephone message received here from Budapest says Servians Friday killed three Austrian gendarmes on the Bosnian frontier, whereupon gunboats bombarded the Servians. No confirmation of the story has been received here.

Iswolsky Arrives in London.

London.—The center of diplomatic interest in the Balkan situation has been transferred from Paris to London by the arrival here Friday night of M. Iswolsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, who purposes a conference with Sir Edward Grey, the British minister of foreign affairs, concerning the situation and particularly with regard to a concert of the powers to settle the outstanding difficulties.

Rumelians Welcome Ferdinand.

Philippopolis, Bulgaria.—"The Czar of Bulgaria," or Prince Ferdinand, as he is still known officially to the rest of the world, entered Philippopolis, the capital of eastern Rumelia, at five o'clock Friday evening. He was greeted by salvos of artillery and the enthusiastic shouts of the populace. He was welcomed at the railroad station, gayly decorated in his honor, by the civil and military authorities and high dignitaries of the church, who accompanied him on a triumphal tour of the city.

New Demonstrations in Belgrade.

Belgrade, Servia.—Theater Square Friday was the scene of renewed demonstrations by the populace. They were directed mainly against the government, the demonstrators demanding the resignation of the cabinet.

The already strong movement against King Peter is growing and the organizers of it are demanding that he either declare war against Austria-Hungary or abdicate in favor of his son, Crown Prince George.

Wants Servia to Explain.

Budapest.—An explanation is being demanded of Belgrade regarding the reported calling out of the Servian reserves. Meanwhile Austria-Hungary has notified the signatory powers of the necessity adequately to protect her frontiers, including that of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Baron von Aehrenthal, the foreign minister, in view of Friday's dispatches from Belgrade, is hopeful that Servia will refrain from any further hostile action.

Austria's Big Army Ready.

Vienna.—Austria-Hungary's military preparations are so complete that should it be necessary, which is not anticipated, 150,000 men could be thrown across the Servian frontier in 24 hours. There are 10,000 men in garrison near the Drina river, between Bosnia and Servia, ready for any eventuality.

Crete Unites with Greece.

Canea, Island of Crete.—A decree announcing the union of Crete with Greece was published here Wednesday evening. Events leading up to the climax followed each other throughout the day with dramatic rapidity.

The town was bedecked and early in the morning people began flocking in from all directions. There was much firing of guns and revolvers, with plenty of cheering, but perfect order prevailed. Mussulmans mingled with Christians freely and unmolested.

At two o'clock in the afternoon a great demonstration in favor of union with Greece occurred on the military review grounds. More than 100,000 people, one of the largest crowds ever seen here, gathered at this place.

Greek Flag Is Raised.

Ten thousand men marched singing and shouting to the various consulates, leaving at each of them a written copy of the resolutions adopted. They then surged to the governor's palace and lowered the flag of Crete, raising the Greek flag in its place. The flags on all the public buildings were similarly replaced by the flag of Greece. With incessant and wild cheering for the union, the great procession made its way to the fortress, where a Greek flag also was sent up to the top of the flagstaff, but the French troops insisted upon lowering it, and unfurled the flag of Crete and those of the four protecting powers.

Turkey to Appeal to Powers.

Constantinople.—The council of ministers held a long session Tuesday morning to consider the action of Bulgaria in declaring her independence of Turkey at Tirnova Monday. It was decided that it was impossible to accept any proceedings that violated existing treaties, and that Turkey should address a circular note to the powers pointing out the necessity of taking measures to enforce respect for the treaty of Berlin.

Replying to the telegram sent to the Turkish government by Prince Ferdinand, in which he said that in declaring the independence of Bulgaria he had been compelled to respect the voice of the nation and expressed the hope that the friendly relations between the two countries would continue, Turkey says she has invited the powers to confer on the situation, and as her rights are guaranteed by the powers, she will look to them for their defense.

Servians Are Enraged.

Belgrade, Servia.—The news of Austria-Hungary's action with regard to the annexation of the provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina has aroused Servia to the danger point. The streets are thronged with a wild mob, many of the rioters discharging their revolvers and demanding war with Austria rather than annexation.

Mediation by France.

Paris.—France has essayed the role of mediator with the object of preventing war between Turkey and Bulgaria, and as a result of Foreign Minister Pichon's series of conferences Monday with the representatives of the powers, including M. Iswolsky, the Russian foreign minister; Naoum Pasha, the Turkish ambassador to France; the Austro-Hungarian, the British, the American and the Italian ambassadors, and of active exchanges which have been going on between the various cabinets. It was announced that France, Great Britain, Russia and possibly Italy were prepared to act in unison to preserve peace and to call a conference of the signatories of the Berlin treaty to deal diplomatically with the situation that has arisen between Turkey and Bulgaria and to harmonize conflicting interests so that fresh complications may be avoided.

Bulgaria Declares Independence.

Sofia, Bulgaria.—Bulgaria, a tributary principality under the suzerainty of the sultan of Turkey, Monday proclaimed her independence of Turkey.

This action was taken at Tirnovo by Prince Ferdinand, who was elected prince of Bulgaria in 1887. The Bulgarian cabinet was present with the prince, having met Sunday at the frontier and journeyed with him to Tirnovo.

The proclamation was made at the cathedral of Tirnovo at 11 o'clock Monday. It was a dramatic scene, accompanied by much enthusiasm. A manifesto of independence addressed to the nation was subsequently issued by the prince.

STRENGTH OF ARMIES

TURKEY.	
On a war basis—	
Total war strength	1,007,658
Officers	26,973
Soldiers	981,685
Horses	57,320
Guns	1,386
On a peace basis—	
Infantry, 318 battalions	293,196
Cavalry, 197 squadrons	34,827
Artillery, 231 batteries	31,547
Landwehr (1st reserve)	324,544
Landsturm (2d reserve)	324,544
BULGARIA.	
On a war basis—	
Total war strength	296,108
Officers	5,431
Soldiers	290,677
Horses	41,776
Guns	486
On a peace basis—	
Infantry, 24 regiments	102,812
Cavalry, 10 regiments	5,920
Artillery, 6 regiments	9,828
Active reserve	88,774
Militia	88,774

Two Americans Have Cholera.

Manila.—Ten new cases of cholera were reported for the last 24 hours. The list includes the names of two Americans—C. O. Harbaugh of the civil service and Charles Ridgeway, known as "the blind poet."

Cuban Town Suffers in Storm.

Havana.—Baracoa, on the northeast coast, suffered severely on Saturday and Sunday from a heavy storm. The custom house, which was in the course of construction, and many other buildings were destroyed.

Alleged Swedish Embezzler Sought.

New York.—Charged with having absconded with $33,500 belonging to a savings bank in Lindesberg, Sweden, Israel Jansson, a former official of the bank, is being sought by the police in the vicinity of New York. Jansson is known to have arrived here on the steamer Adriatic on August 6 and to have gone to Cleveland, O., with his wife and child. He lived there, the police say, with relatives, assuming the name of L. E. Pettersson, but some time ago left Cleveland and is believed to be in this city.

Cave-in Fatal to Workmen.

Wheeling, W. Va.—By a cave-in of the cofferdam at Government lock and dam No. 13, at McMechen, six miles below Wheeling, Monday night two workmen were buried in an avalanche of earth and killed.

Dined by Admiral Togo.

Tokyo.—Admiral Togo Monday night entertained at dinner the wives of the American naval officers who are here awaiting the arrival of the Atlantic battleship fleet. There were present also many officials.

Wright in Passenger Trips.

Le Mans, France.—Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, made two flights with passengers Monday. One was with M. Bollee, who weighs about 216 pounds, and the other with M. Pellier, vice-president of the Aero club of the Sarthe.

Charged with Slaying Kin.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—As a result of evidence taken before the coroner's jury Monday, J. C. Stanfield is in jail charged with having murdered his father-in-law, H. C. Risley.

Bishop Tierney Is Dead.

Hartford, Conn.—Rt. Rev. Michael Tierney, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Hartford, who was stricken with paralysis on Saturday, died Monday. Bishop Tierney was born in County Tipperary, Ireland.

'Frisco Fire Loss $100,000.

San Francisco.—A fire which started in the coal bunkers of the Pacific Coast Company at the foot of Beale street spread to the factory of Hobbs, Wall & Co., and to the Beale street wharf, causing a loss of $100,000.

Slays Wife and Self.

Cincinnati.—While temporarily insane Jacob Hempfling, aged 70, a prosperous farmer living at Atwood, Ky., about 18 miles from this city, shot and fatally wounded his wife, and then shot and killed himself.

Three Are Burned to Death.

Yonkers, N. Y.—Mrs. Robert Cummings and her two grandchildren, Harry, aged three years, and James, aged ten, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed Mrs. Cummings' cottage Monday.

DISTURBING THE BIRD.



CUBS DEFEAT THE GIANTS

CHICAGO WINS PENNANT IN THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York Out-Played—Tremendous Crowd at the Polo Grounds—Westerners Play Perfect Ball.

Chicago	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
New York	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

New York.—"Chicago 4, New York 2"—this was the tale in a phrase told at the end of the most decisive baseball game played in this country in many years; played at the Polo grounds in this city Thursday to decide the National league championship for the season of 1908.

In the presence of a record-breaking crowd, which swamped the grounds and left many thousands outside long before the game began, a game was played in deadly earnest, "straight baseball with no frills," to settle as tensely dramatic a situation as the most ardent lover of sport could imagine. Chicago won and New York lost.

It was great baseball, witnessed by the greatest of great baseball crowds. Spectators who know the game, however bitter they may feel over the tie decision which made the game compulsory, seemed to concede that the work of the Chicago team was practically perfect.

The Giants, well though they played, were outplayed. They lacked, among other things, that certain indefinable something, absence of which is probably in this instance explained by the results of the great and steady strain they have been under the past week.

Chicago, fresh from rest and well-judged practice and coaching, was superb in form. Brilliant, errorless fielding, snappy base-running and opportune hitting in the third inning, which made effective in scores a double by Chance, won the game. New York could not hit at critical times.

The two great innings of the game were the third and the seventh. In the former Chicago made all its runs. In the latter, opening with tremendous enthusiasm following the loud-shouted slogan, "The Giants' lucky seventh," hopes were renewed, but died after one run, which kept company with that made in the first inning on the mammoth bulletin board far out afield.

H. A. GARFIELD COLLEGE HEAD.

Inducted Into the Office of President of Williams.

Williamstown, Mass.—Harry Augustus Garfield of the class of '85, son of President James A. Garfield, was inducted Wednesday into the office of president of Williams college. Seventy-five college presidents had accepted invitations to be present and the ceremony of induction was witnessed by men prominent in civil and professional life.

The state was represented by Gov. Guild. James Bryce, ambassador of Great Britain, was also present, as well as United States Senator Crane and President Garfield's three brothers, Secretary of the Interior Garfield, Irvin McDowell Garfield and Abram Garfield, all Williams men.

Postmasters Favor Parcels Post.

Des Moines, Ia.—Parcels post was one of the chief subjects of discussion at Wednesday's opening session of the National League of Postmasters of the Fourth Class. It developed that practically all of the postmasters present think it should be established. Superintendent W. R. Spillman of the rural free delivery service gave the main address, advocating a parcels post, and also taking up at some length the work of the rural free delivery in this country. About 300 delegates were in attendance.

Twenty-Five Hurt in Collision.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—In a collision between an east-bound Rock Island passenger train and a freight train at Yucon, a station seven miles west of here, Tuursday, seven coaches of the passenger train, which was loaded with state fair visitors, were derailed. Twenty-five persons were slightly injured. Only one, Stella Pyle of El Reno, was seriously hurt. The passenger train was standing at the station when [illegible]

BIG ELEVATOR EXPLODES.

Thirteen Persons Killed in Disaster at Richford, Vt.

Richford, Vt.—With a concussion which shook the entire village, a large grain elevator, having a capacity of 500,000 bushels, exploded late Wednesday, causing the death of 12 men and a woman.

The explosion blew off the entire roof of the building, scattering timbers in all directions, and almost instantly flames burst out all over the structure. Twenty-one men were employed in the building, of whom 11 are missing and undoubtedly perished. All lived in Richford.

The elevator was owned jointly by the Canadian Pacific and Boston & Maine railroads and was occupied by the Quaker Oats Company of Chicago. The amount of grain it contained was very large. The flames, which are supposed to have been started by spontaneous combustion in the dry dust of the grain, spread so quickly that the limited fire apparatus of the village was of no avail. Nothing could prevent the entire destruction of the elevator and its contents.

The heat set fire to a flour shed near the elevator and the shed, together with 75 freight cars standing near it, were burned.

The wreckage and fire blocked the tracks of the Canadian Pacific railroad completely for many hours, so it was necessary for trains to make a detour by way of Sherbrooke, Que. The total loss is estimated at $400,000.

CASTRO SERIOUSLY ILL.

Venezuelan President May Have to Surrender Reins of Government.

Willemstad, Curacao.—It is reported here from Venezuela that President Castro is seriously ill and that the government of Venezuela probably soon will have to be turned over to the vice-president of that republic.

Castro is suffering from an affection of the liver and kidneys. His physicians have not been able to agree whether to perform an operation or not.

The Hague: — Should Holland decide to blockade Venezuela, the blockade will be directed especially against La Guaira, Porto Cabello and Maracaibo. The government has discussed the possibility of Castro's seizing Curacao, but former Minister De Reus declares that would be impracticable, the Venezuelan troops being only adapted for guerrilla warfare.

HANNAHAN LOSES HIS PLACE.

Carter of Peoria Elected Grand Master of Locomotive Firemen.

Columbus, O.—W. S. Carter of Peoria, Ill., was elected grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen Thursday to succeed John J. Hannahan. Mr. Carter has been secretary of the organization for a number of years. Mr. Hannahan has been an officer in the brotherhood for 23 years. He was elected vice-grand master in 1885 and was elected grand master six years ago.

Opposition to Hannahan developed as soon as the delegates began to gather. Charges were preferred against him and they were referred to a committee for investigation. Majority and minority reports were filed but no recommendations were made.

Mrs. Yates Passes Away.

Jacksonville, Ill.—Mrs. Richard Yates, mother of former Gov. Yates and wife of the Illinois war governor, died Tuesday afternoon at the age of 86 years. Her illness dates back to two years ago, when she fell and fractured her hip. Since that time she had been gradually failing. She took great interest in politics, both state and national.

Killed in Motor Cycle Race.

Washington.—During a motor cycle race at the Copperhite track at Burke, Va., Thursday, James Connelly of Washington, one of the participants, ran into a post and received injuries which later resulted in his death.

Negroes as Night Riders.

New Orleans.—News reached here Thursday of the arrest at Myersville, Miss., of six negroes charged with posting a night riding warning. Posses are searching for two others wanted on the same charge.

Cotton Gins Warned and Closed.

Little Rock, Ark.—Heeding notices posted on the doors of the Arkansas Valley Cotton Oil Company at Dardanelle, 12 cotton gins closed Wednesday. The warning stated that the night riders were friendly, but unless the plant was closed torches would be used.

Six Mexican Miners Killed.

El Paso, Tex.—In a cave-in Wednesday in the Gananea-Duluth mine at Gananea, Mexico, six Mexican miners were killed.

Eastern Democrats Choose.

Providence, R. I.—At the Democratic state convention Tuesday the following state ticket was nominated: Governor, Olney Arnold; lieutenant governor, Adelard Archambault; secretary of state, Robert Grieve; attorney general, T. B. Corcoran; treasurer, Tristom D. Babcock.

New Railway for Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb.—The Omaha, Lincoln & Southeastern railroad was incorporated with a capital of $100,000. Its terminal will be Lincoln and Omaha.

ELEVEN DIE IN BLAZE

DISASTROUS FIRE IN NEW YORK TENEMENT HOUSE.

THIRTY PERSONS RESCUED

Several Are Injured Jumping from Upper Stories—Three Barrels of Oil-Soaked Rubbish Found in Building.

New York, Oct. 6.—Eleven persons were killed, more than a dozen were injured and 30 escaped death by the narrowest margin in an incendiary fire which wrecked a tenement house on Mulberry street Monday. That a deliberate attempt was made to destroy the house and its occupants the police and firemen do not doubt. Three barrels stuffed with rubbish soaked with oil were found blazing in the lower hall, cutting off the escape of 50 or more persons who were sleeping on the upper floors.

Several Die in Their Beds.

Some of the victims died in their beds, overcome by smoke and caught by the flames. Others, who had been aroused too late, fell unconscious before they could reach a window, and were burned to death scarcely an arm's length from safety. Many were injured by jumping from upper windows to the street or by being crushed as they fought for safety on the fire escapes.

The dead are Minechillo Furicillo, his wife and their three children, aged five, three and two years; Francisco Polestrino, a musician; Mrs. Rosa Schettino and her seven-year-old daughter, Vita Barone, Pietro Magliacci and an unidentified man. Several of the injured persons who were taken to hospitals are in a critical condition.

Fire Escapes Were Obstructed.

That so many were killed was due in part to the carelessness of the tenants and their disregard of the rule that fire escapes must be kept clear of obstructions. When the frightened men and women rushed from their rooms they found the wells of the fire escape platforms covered with boards which could not be removed quickly. Excited mothers and fathers with children in their arms became panic-stricken and tossed their children to friends in the street. A dozen were dropped from the second and third floors and were caught by men standing in the street.

SLAIN BY SISTER-IN-LAW.

Capt. Erb, Prominent Philadelphia Politician, Shot During Family Quarrel.

Philadelphia.—J. Clayton Erb, captain and regimental quartermaster of the Third regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, was shot and killed at his summer home near Village Green, Delaware county, Tuesday night. His sister-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Beisel, is under arrest in the Media jail, charged with the murder. The woman admits that she did the shooting during a family quarrel.

Capt. Erb, who was private secretary to Israel W. Durham, political leader of this city, was one of the best known men in political circles in Philadelphia. About two years ago he was married and moved to Delaware county. For a time everything went along smoothly, but recently there were family quarrels.

ACCUSED OF AN OLD MURDER.

W. L. Woolley, Prominent Capitalist of Oklahoma, Is Arested.

McAlester, Okla.—W. L. Woolley, principal owner of the town of Stewart and a prominent Oklahoma capitalist, was taken to Stigler under arrest, charged with complicity in the murder of a man named Anderson in 1881. Woolley was sitting in a room with Anderson when the latter was killed. Woolley was arrested at the time and taken to Fort Smith, Ark., but was discharged by Gen. Wheeler, United States commissioner. Woolley is at a loss to understand the revival of the case.

RAYMER ACQUITTED AGAIN.

Alleged Mob Leader of Springfield Freed by Jury.

Springfield, Ill.—After 16 hours' deliberation, the jury in the case of Abe Raymer, alleged mob leader, charged with destruction of property during the recent riots, returned a verdict of not guilty Thursday afternoon. Raymer had previously been acquitted of murder in connection with the lynching of W. K. Donnegan, an aged negro.

Nebraska Attorney Disbarred.

Lincoln, Neb.—Capt Allen G. Fisher of Chadron was disbarred by the supreme court Thursday for a period of one year. Fisher was charged with raising a claim against the state from $1,500 to $11,500 and presenting it to the legislature.

May Limit Number of Saloons.

Lincoln, Neb.—In reversing the decision of the district court of Lancaster county the supreme court Thursday held that the Lincoln excise board has authority to limit the number of saloons to 25.

Fatal Duel Between Farmers.

Muskogee, Okla.—In a revolver duel Thursday, three miles south of Porum, in this county, between two farmers named Kagle and Williams, the former was killed and the latter fatally wounded.

Brown Wins in Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga.—Returns indicate that Joseph M. Brown has carried the state for governor by a plurality of between 60,000 and 80,000. His only opponent was Yancey Carter, who ran on the Independence party ticket.

Falling Walls Kill Fireman.

Buffalo, N. Y.—One fireman was killed and eight were injured in the collapse of the burning walls of a small grain elevator on Broadway Wednesday night. The loss was $100,000.

Russian Robbers Kill Twelve.

Tiraspol, Russia. — Robbers have committed a revolting crime in the neighboring village of Slobodze. They entered the house of a Jewish family named Cohen and killed 12 persons in their efforts to get away with a small amount of loot. The murderers were arrested.

Minnesota Bank Is Robbed.

Olivia, Minn.—The State bank of Danube was burglarized Tuesday. Twenty-three hundred dollars in cash was taken.

PRETTY GIRL SLAIN

FOUND MURDERED BY ROADSIDE NEAR WADSWORTH, O.

HER FIANCE IS DETAINED

Marriage Was Set for Saturday and No Motive for the Crime Has Been Revealed.

Wadsworth, O.—With unusual energy the police authorities endeavoring to unravel the mystery of the murder of Ora Lee, 21 years old, a handsome factory girl, whose body, pierced by two bullets, was found early Friday on the road between Wadsworth and the hamlet of Custard Hook.

Guy Rasor, the man whom Miss Lee was to have married Saturday, is detained by the sheriff pending developments of the police investigation. Rasor denies all knowledge of the tragedy and in support of his denial exhibits a marriage license procured at Wooster Thursday.

The body of the young woman was found by Charles Rasor, a cousin of Guy Rasor, as he passed along the road. Two bullets had entered the girl's skull, one piercing the forehead while the second crashed through between the eye and the nose.

No positive motive for the murder of the young woman yet has come to light. The band of farmers, led by Marshal Bricker, that hurried to the scene of the murder as soon as word of the tragedy was received, met Guy Rasor on the road, walking toward Wadsworth.

The police theory is that Miss Lee was killed while riding in a buggy with a male friend. The principal clew that led to the detention of Guy Rasor is the fact that along the road where the murder was committed are plainly seen the tracks of a horse with one shoe missing. An examination of the stables at the Rasor home disclosed the fact that one of Rasor's horses has a shoe missing from one of its front feet. Rasor refuses any explanation concerning this feature of the case. He declares he can prove an alibi.

Another police theory is that a rival for the affections of Miss Lee may have shot the girl on learning of her approaching marriage to Rasor.

GEN. IRA C. ABBOTT DIES.

Former Collector of Internal Revenue in Michigan Expires.

Washington.—Gen. Ira C. Abbott, formerly collector of internal revenue in Michigan, and for several years clerk in the pension bureau, died at his home here Friday after a protracted illness. He was 84 years old. Gen. Abbott was a native of Burns, N. Y., was for some years postmaster at Burr Oak, Mich., served throughout the civil war and was brevetted brigadier general for his splendid record on the battlefields. He was president of the Michigan State association in this city and a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Military Loyal Legion and other patriotic organizations.

FOUND DEAD IN A THICKET.

Mystery Surrounds Fate of Young Virginia Merchant.

Warrenton, Va.—Ernest Robinson, 24 years old, a member of the Warrenton Rifles, who with his brother Walter disappeared from their home here six weeks ago, was found dead Friday in a thicket near the railroad tracks at Casanova, a small station between Warrenton and Calverton. There is no clew to the whereabouts of the other brother, who is two years older. Both the young men were well known and owned the general store here.

WOUNDED IN SHAM BATTLE.

Russian General Mistchenko Shot and Plot Is Suspected.

Askabad, Turkestan.—During manoeuvers of the Turkestan army corps Friday in the vicinity of Askabad, Gen. Mistchenko, who played a conspicuous part in the Russo-Japanese war and who is now governor general of Turkestan, was wounded in a sham battle. A revolutionist plot is suspected.

E. H. Goss, Banker and Author, Dead.

Melrose, Mass.—Elbridge Henry Goss, author and banker, died Friday of pneumonia. He was 78 years old. Mr. Goss had been treasurer of the Melrose Savings bank for 24 years and was the author of numerous historical works.

Fishermen Fight with Rifles.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.—A battle with rifles between American fishermen and Canadian officials is said to have been fought on Lake Superior opposite White Fish point.

Fatal Motor Car Accident.

Auburn, Me.—Dr. Charles E. Williams of this city and Mrs. Williams were the victims of an automobile accident at Leeds Friday. Their machine was overturned, pinning them beneath. Mrs. Williams died and the condition of Mr. Williams is serious.

Case of Cholera in a Theater.

St. Petersburg.—A case of cholera was discovered during a performance at the Sonverin theater. There was a panic in the audience, but no one was hurt.

New Surgeon General of I. N. G.

Springfield, Ill.—By virtue of an order issued Friday by Adjt. Gen. Scott, Dr. Charles Adams of Chicago is appointed surgeon general of the Illinois National Guard. He succeeds Dr. Nicholas Senn, Chicago, deceased.

Trainmen Perish in a Wreck.

Spokane, Wash.—A passenger train was wrecked near Foller, Mont., on the Shelby Junction branch of the Great Northern railroad Friday. The engine went into the river and a fireman and a watchman were killed.

New Orleans Gets Mothers' Congress.

Washington.—At a meeting of the board of governors of the National Congress of Mothers in this city Friday it was decided to hold the next annual meeting of the congress in New Orleans in February next.

Red D Liner in a Hurricane.

San Juan, P. R.—The Red D line steamer Philadelphia, from New York, October 1, for this port, ran into a hurricane on Monday and was blown off her course. The steamer had to heave to for 36 hours.

RAISED FROM SICK BED.

After All Hope Had Vanished.

Mrs. J. H. Bennett, 69 Fountain Gardiner, Me., says: "My back u to trouble me so verely that at la had to give up. took to my bed stayed there months, suffering sense pain, dizzin headache and flammation of bladder. Thou without hope, I gan using Don Kidney Pills, and in three months completely cured. The trouble never returned."



Sold by all dealers. 60 cents a b Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

HE REMEMBERED.



"And did your uncle remember yo in his will?"

"Well, he remembered me, all right but that was why he didn't mention me in it."

SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

First Had Itching Rash—Threatened Later With Blood-Poison in Leg—Relied on Cuticura Remedies.

"About twelve or fifteen years ago I had a breaking out, and it itched, and stung so badly that I could not have any peace because of it. Three doctors did not help me. Then I used some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent and began to get better right away. They cured me and I have not been bothered with the itching since, to amount to anything. About two years ago I had la grippe and pneumonia which left me with a pain in my side. Treatment ran it into my leg, which then swelled and began to break out. The doctor was afraid it would turn to blood-poison. I used his medicine but it did no good, then I used the Cuticura Remedies three times and cured the breaking-out on my leg. J. F. Hennen, Milan, Mo., May 13, 1907."

Arrange for Pure Milk.

Chicago has a medical cow. She was bought by a woman health department inspector. Dr. Caroline Hedger, to produce pure milk for desperately sick babies in a crowded tenement district, and, according to reports, this latest Chicago experiment in municipal ownership has been a great success. "I purchased the cow for the department," said Dr. Hedger. "I told Commissioner Evans I needed a cow to save the lives of the sick babies out my way, and he told me to buy one; so I did. Some friends of mine are taking care of her, milking her and taking the milk direct to the sick infants. It doesn't go through a dozen hands before it reaches the babies. We get enough milk to supply the babies of 14 families."

A Kind Heart.

Head of Firm (to old bookkeeper)—Henry, you've worked for us for 30 years, and during that time you have been faithful and your work has been satisfactory. But you are now so old that we must replace you with a younger man. We are very grateful to you, Henry, and, of course, will do the right thing. Have you saved?

Henry—I couldn't, sir, with my large family.

"As I thought! Then I want to say to you that we shall be only too glad to keep you on for a month or so at a reduced salary until you can place yourself elsewhere."—Judge.

Temporarily Indisposed.

One of the workers in a Chinese mission in Philadelphia became interested in two Chinamen who, she found, owned a flourishing laundry business in her own home neighborhood. She looked in once in awhile to see how things were going with them, and one morning found Sam smiling and cheerful, as usual, but John was missing.

"Where is John this morning?" she asked.

"Oh," answered Sam amiably, "Christian gen'leman hit him in the head with a blick, and he all same in hospital."

Australia's Wild Oysters.

Oysters are sometimes regarded as dangerous but they are not usually considered savage. A Queensland judge, however, has decided that they are wild beasts. Before a royal commission on the pearling industry which has been sitting at Brisbane, a witness stated that eight years ago he had laid 100,000 shells in the neighborhood of Friday island. The Japanese stole the shells, and the district court judge held that as pearl shell oysters were wild animals there was no penalty for stealing them.

NO GUSHER

But Tells Facts About Postum.

"We have used Postum for the past eight years," writes a Wis. lady, "and drink it three times a day. We never tire of it.

"For several years I could scarcely eat anything on account of dyspepsia, bloating after meals, palpitation, sick headache—in fact was in such misery and distress I tried living on hot water and toast for nearly a year.

"I had quit coffee, the cause of my trouble, and was using hot water, but this was not nourishing.

"Hearing of Postum I began drinking it and my ailments disappeared, and now I can eat anything I want without trouble.

"My parents and husband had about the same experience. Mother would often suffer after eating, while yet drinking coffee. My husband was a great coffee drinker and suffered from indigestion and headache.

"After he stopped coffee and began Postum both ailments left him. He will not drink anything else now and we have it three times a day. I could write more but am no gusher—only state plain facts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



SYNOPSIS.

Miss Dudley arrived in San Francisco to join his friend and distant relative Henry Wilton, whom he was to assist in an important and mysterious task, and on the steamer accompanied Dudley on the last trip into the city. The two men noted and commented on by passengers on the ferry. They are a man with the strange record Dudley is to personate, but occurrences cause him to fear, not of no ordinary meaning, when he is summoned to the morgue and finds the dead body of his friend, Henry Wilton. And that Wilton dies in the hotel ere explaining to Dudley the secret work he was to perform in San Francisco. In order to observe the secret mission his friend had entrusted to him, Dudley continues his disguise and permits himself to be known as Henry Wilton. He learns that there is a boy in the case, and is charmed with secreting and how he is charmed with secreting and how he is employed by Knapp to assist him, is employed by Knapp to assist a stock brokerage deal. Giles Dudley finds himself ejected in a room with other Borton who makes a confidant of him. Dudley visits the home of Knapp and is stricken by the beauty of Knapp and is stricken by the beauty of Knapp, his daughter. Slumming tour through Chinatown is planned. The trip through Chinatown, Giles Dudley learns that the party is being shadowed by Terrill. The party is being shadowed by Terrill. Terrill and Dudley are cut off from the rest of the party and imprisoned in a hallway behind an iron-bound door. Three Chinese ruffians approach the imprisoned couple. A battle ensues. One Chinaman is killed by shots from Giles' revolver. Policeman Corson breaks down the door with an ax and the couple is rescued. Laella thanks Giles Dudley for saving her life. Knapp appears at the affair with no traces of the previous night's debauch. Following his instructions Dudley has a notable day in the long Dudley has a notable day in the Stock Exchange, selling Crown Diamond and buying Omega, the object being to ruin Decker, Knapp's hated rival. Dudley discovers that he loves Luella Knapp. Mother Borton tells Giles Dudley that "they've discovered where the boy is." The mysterious unknown woman employs Dudley meets him by appointment and Dudley meets him by appointment to tell "the boy" who in turned over to Dudley with his guards and they arrive with him to the ferry boat to take a train out of the city. Dudley and his faithful guards convey "the boy" by train to the village of Livermore, as per the written instructions. The party is followed. Soon after the party is quartered in the hotel a special train arrives to Livermore. The "gang" including Darby Meeker and Tim Terrill, lay siege to the hotel and endeavor to capture "the boy," who comes forward to see the fight. "Pickled Pete" to see the fight. "Pickled Pete" forward to see the fight. "Pickled Pete" again," cries Tim Terrill, when he sees the youngster's face. "It's the wrong boy." Dudley and Terrill meet in battle of man to man. Dudley is knocked unconscious by Terrill's assistant and awakes to find himself in a hotel room under care of his guards. The hotel is guarded by Terrill's men who are instructed to kill the first man who tries to escape. Dudley gives the note to the one-eyed man. The boy is left behind and Dudley and his remaining guards make their escape by horseback and by stealing a locomotive. Doddridge Knapp and Decker meet face to face on the stock exchange. Decker is defeated.

CHAPTER XV.—Continued.

"Then the mine is yours?"

"The directors will be."

"But you were buying shares this morning."

"A mere optical illusion, Wilton. I was in fact a seller, for I had shares to spare."

"It was a very good imitation."

"I don't wonder you were taken in, my boy. Decker was fooled to the tune of about $1,000,000 this morning. I thought it was rather neat for a clean-up."

I thought so, too, and the King of the Street smiled at my exclamations over his cleverness. But my congratulations were cut short as a small dark man pressed his way to the corner where we stood, and whispered in Doddridge Knapp's ear.

"Was he sure?" asked the King of the Street.

"Those were his exact words."

"When was this?"

"Not five minutes ago."

"Run to Caswell's. Tell him to wait for me."

The messenger darted off and we followed briskly. Caswell, I found, was an attorney, and we were led at once to the inner office.

"Come in with me," said my employer. "I expect I shall need you, and it will save explanations."

The lawyer was a tall, thin man, with chalky, expressionless features, but his eyes gave life to his face with their keen, almost brilliant, vision.

"Decker's playing the joker," said the King of the Street. "I've beaten him in the market, but he's going to make a last play with the directors. There's a meeting called for 12:30. They are going to give him a two years' contract for milling, and they talk of declaring 20,000 shares of my stock invalid."

"How many directors have you got?"

"Two—Barber and myself. Decker thinks he has Barber."

"Then you want an injunction?"

"Yes."

The lawyer looked at his watch.

"The meeting is at 12:30. H'm. You'll have to hold them for half an hour—maybe an hour."

"Make it half an hour," growled Doddridge Knapp. "Just remember that time is worth $1,000 a second till that injunction is served."

He went out without another word, and there was a commotion of clerks as we left.

"How's your nerve, Wilton?" inquired the King of the Street calmly. "Are you ready for some hot work?"

"Quite ready."

"Have you a revolver about you?"

"Yes."

"Very good. I don't want you to kill any one; but it may come in handy as an evidence of your good intentions."

He led the way to California street below Sansome, where we climbed a flight of stairs and went down a hall to a glass door that bore the gilt and painted letters, "Omega Mining Co., J. D. Storey, Pres't."

"There's five minutes to spare," said my employer. "He may be alone."

A stout, florid man, with red side-whiskers and a general air of good living, sat by an over-shadowing desk in the handsome office, and looked sourly at use as we entered. He was not alone, for a young man could be seen in a side room that was lettered "Secretary's Office."

"Ah, Mr. Knapp," he said, bowing deferentially to the millionaire, and rubbing his fat red hands. "Can I do anything for you to-day?"

"I reckon so, Storey. Let me introduce you to Mr. Wilton, one of our coming directors."

I had an inward start at this information, and Mr. Storey regarded me unfavorably. We professed ourselves charmed to see each other.

"I suppose it was an oversight that you didn't send me a notice of the directors' meeting," said Doddridge Knapp.

Mr. Storey turned very red, and the King of the Street said in an undertone: "Just lock that door, Wilton."

"It must have been sent by mail," stammered Storey. "Hi, there! young man, what are you doing?" he exclaimed, jumping to his feet as I turned the key in the lock. "Open that door again!"

"No you don't, Storey," came the fierce growl from the throat of the Wolf. "Your game is up."

"The devil it is!" cried Storey, making dash past Doddridge Knapp and coming with a rush straight for me.

"Stop him!" roared my employer.

I sprang forward and grappled Mr. Storey, but I found him rather a large contract, for I had to favor my left arm. Then he suddenly turned limp and rolled to the floor, his head thumping noisily on a corner of the desk.

Doddridge Knapp coolly laid a hard rubber ruler down on the desk and I recognized the source of Mr. Storey's discomfiture.

"I reckon he's safe for a bit," he growled. "Hulloo, what's this?"

I noted a very pale young man in the doorway of the secretary's office, apparently doubtful whether he should attempt to raise an alarm or hide.

"You go back in your room and mind your own business, Dodson," said the King of the Street. "Go!" he growled fiercely, as the young man still hesitated. "You know I can make or break you."

The young man disappeared and I closed and locked the door on him.

"There they come," said I, as steps sounded in the hall.

"Stand by the door and keep them out," whispered my employer. "I'll see that Storey doesn't get up. Keep still now. Every minute we gain is worth $10,000."

I took station by the door as the knob was tried. More stops were heard, and the knob was tried again. Then the door was shaken and picturesque comments were made on the dilatory president.

Doddridge Knapp looked grim, but serene, as he sat on the desk with his foot on the prostrate Storey. I breathed softly, and listened to the rising complaints from without.

There were thumps and kicks on the door, and at last a voice roared:

"What are you waiting for? Break it in."

A crash followed, and the ground-glass upper section of the door fell in fragments.

"I beg your pardon, gentlemen," I said, as a man put his hand through the opening. "This revolver is loaded, and the first man to come through there will get a little cold lead in him."

There was a pause and then a storm of oaths.

"Get in there!" cried Decker's voice from the rear. "What are you afraid of?"

"He's got a gun."

"Well, get in, three or four of you at once. He can't shoot you all."

This spirited advice did not seem to find favor with the front-rank men, and the enemy retired for consultation. At last a messenger came forward.

"What do you want?" he asked.

"I want you to keep out."

"Who is he?" asked Decker's voice.

"There's another one there," cried another voice. "Why, it's Doddridge Knapp!"

Decker made use of some language not intended for publication, and there was whispering for a few minutes, followed by silence.

I looked at Doddridge Knapp, sitting grim and unmoved, counting the minutes till the injunction should come. Suddenly a man bounded through the broken upper section of the door, tossed by his companions, and I found myself in a grapple before I could raise my revolver.

We went down on the floor together, and I had a confused notion that the door swung open and four or five others rushed into the room.

The King of the Street sat calm and forceful with a revolver in his hand, and all had halted, fearing to go farther.

"Don't come too close, gentlemen," growled the Wolf.

Then I saw one of the men raise a six-shooter to aim at the defiant figure that faced them. I gave a spring and with one blow laid the man on the floor. There was a flash of fire as he fell, and a deafening noise was in my ears. Men all about me were striking at me. I scarcely felt their blows as I wardpl them off and returned them, for I was half-mad with the desperate sense of conflict against odds. But at last I felt myself seized in an iron grip, and in a moment was seated beside Doddridge Knapp on the desk.

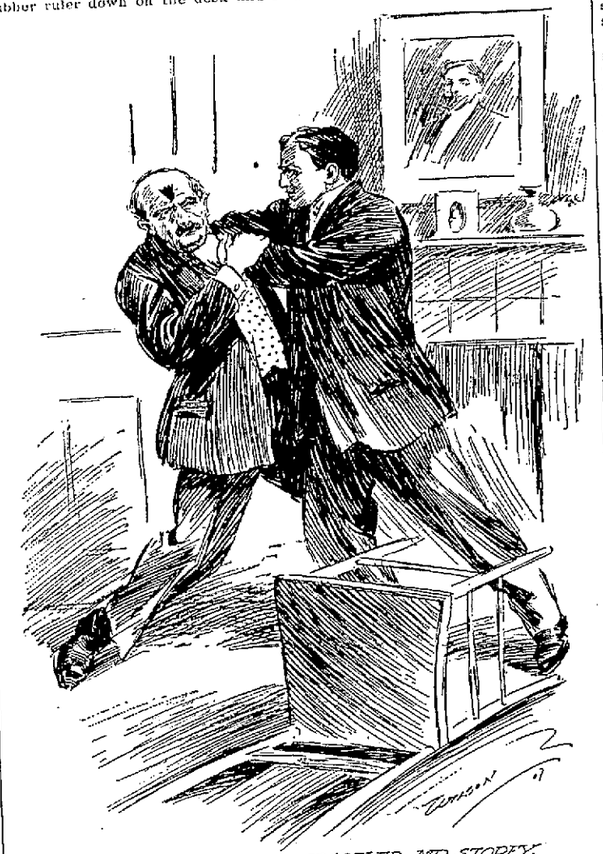
"The time is up," he said. "There's the sheriff and Caswell with the writ."

"I congratulate you," I answered, my head still swimming, noting that the enemy had drawn back at the coming of reinforcements.

"Good heavens, man, you're hurt!" he cried, pointing to my left sleeve where a blood stain was spreading. The wound I had received in the night conflict at Livermore had reopened in the struggle.

"It's nothing," said I. "Just a scratch."

"Here! get a doctor!" cried the King of the Street. "Gentlemen, the directors' meeting is postponed, by order of court."



I SPRANG FORWARD AND GRAPPLED MR. STOREY.

CHAPTER XXVI.

A Vision of the Night.

"You are a very imprudent person," said Luella, smiling, yet with a most charming trace of anxiety under the smile.

"What have I been doing now?" I asked.

"That is what you are to tell me. Papa told us a little about your saving his life and his plans this morning, but he was so very short about it. Was this the arm that was hurt?"

I started to give a brief description of my morning's adventure, but there was something in my listener's face that called forth detail after detail, and her eyes kindled as I told the tale of the battle that won Omega in the stock Board, and the fight that rescued the fruits of victory in the office of the company.

"There is something fine in it, after all," she said when I was through. "There is something left of the spirit of the old adventurers and the knights."

I took her hand, and she let it lie a moment before she drew it away.

"I think I am more than repaid," I said.

"Oh, yes," she said, changing her tone to one of complete indifference. "Papa said he made you a director."

"Yes, I said, taking my cue from her manner. "I have the happiness to share the honor with three other dummies. Your father makes the fifth."

"How absurd!" laughed Luella. "Do you want to provoke me?"

"Don't mind me, Henry," interrupted the voice of Mrs. Knapp.

"But I must," said I, giving her greeting. "What service do you require?"

"Tell me what you have been doing?"

"I have just been telling Miss Lucila."

"And what, may I ask?"

"I was explaining this morning's troubles."

"Oh, I heard a little of them from Mr. Knapp. Have you had any more of your adventures at Borton's and other dreadful places?"

I considered a moment, and then, as I could see no reason for keeping silent, I gave a somewhat abridged account of my Livermore trip, omitting reference to the strange vagaries of the Doddridge Knapp who traveled by night.

I had reason to be flattered by the attention of my audience. Both women leaned forward with wide-open eyes, and followed every word with eager interest.

"That was a dreadful danger you escaped," said Mrs. Knapp with a shudder. "I am thankful, indeed, to see you with us with no greater hurt."

Luella said nothing, but the look she gave me set my heart dancing in a way that all Mrs. Knapp's praise could not.

"I do hope this dreadful business will end soon," said Mrs. Knapp. "Do you think this might be the last of it?"

"No," said I, remembering my note I had received from the Unknown on my return, "there's much more to be done."

"I hope you are ready for it," said Mrs. Knapp, with a troubled look upon her face.

"As ready as I ever shall be, I suppose," I replied. "If the guardian angel who has pulled me through this far will hold on to his job, I'll do my part."

Mrs. Knapp raised a melancholy smile, but it disappeared at once, and she seemed to muse in silence, with no very pleasant thought on her mind. Twice or thrice I thought she wished to speak to me, but if so she changed her mind.

"I wonder at you," said Luella softly, as we stood alone for a moment.

"You have little cause."

"What you have done is much. You have conquered difficulties."

I looked in her calm eyes, and my soul came to the surface.

"I wish you might be proud of me," I said.

"I—I am proud of such a friend—except—" She hesitated.

"Always an 'except,'" I said half-bitterly.

"But you have promised to tell me—"

"Some day. As soon as I may." Under her magnetic influence I should have told then had she urged me. And not until I was once more outside the house did I recall how impossible it was that could ever tell her.

"Here's some one to see you, sir," said Owens, as I reached the walk and joined the guards I had left to wait for me.

"Yes, sor, you're wanted at Mother Borton's in a hurry," said another voice, and a man stepped forward. "There's the divil to pay!"

I recognized the one-eyed man who had done me the service that enabled me to escape from Livermore.

"Ah, Broderick, what's the matter?"

"I didn't get no orders, sor, so I don't know, but there was the divil's own shindy in the height of progression when I left. And Mother Borton says I was to come hot-foot for you and tell you to come with your men if ye valued your sowl."

"Is she in danger?"

"I reckon the thought was heavy on her mind, for her face was white with the terror of it."

One of the men was sent to bring out such of my force as had returned, and I, with the two others, hurried on to Borton's.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

All a Matter of Inches.

Woman's Increased Height Makes Her Superior to Man.

I wonder if the love ideals of womanhood are changing with the sex, which is certainly in a transition state. At one time it was a rare event for a woman to marry a man much younger than herself; now it is a common one. Not so very long ago, in her secret heart, the unattached maiden rather longed for a master to whom she might play the part of admiring and adoring satellite; but in the present year of grace she prefers to be sovereign herself, and to have a prime minister who is useful and subordinate. Can this change be in any way due to the superior inches of the modern woman? A difference must inevitably exist between the day dreams of the six-foot something and the day dreams of five-foot nothing. Only the other evening, at a concert, I was much struck by the imposing manner in which a very tall woman, splendidly gowned, made her entrance into the room. She swept in as if the whole world belonged to her, while behind her followed an insignificant creature in black carrying her costly cloak, her fan and I don't know what else. Honestly, I felt sorry for him, but realized that my pity was wasted. One could see he exulted in his wife's magnificent appearance and his own subjection.—Black and White, London.

Japanese School Appliances.

South China is being covered with Japanese educational appliances specially adapted for Chinese use—school books, maps, globes, anatomical and other charts—all helping to rescue the people from their ignorance. Every school teaches physical and military drill. In every town of any size, and often in villages, there are now schools with foreign fittings for teaching western learning.

Porpoises in New York Harbor.

New York harbor was treated to a strange visitation one night recently. A school of porpoises, numbering as many as 100, and headed by a venerable patriarch in gray whiskers, swam in, took a leisurely survey of their surroundings and then returned to the open, something for which the oldest inhabitant could recall no precedent, says the Boston Transcript. The visitors came in through the new Ambrose deep water channel. Perhaps they assumed that it had been prepared expressly for their accommodation. At any rate, they seemed to approve of it. This phenomenon occurred on the night which a soothsayer had appointed for the submergence of Manhattan by a tidal wave. But the skeptical public did not take alarm. On the contrary, the old watermen said it betokened fine sea weather.

Wrecks in San Francisco Bay.

What a melancholy sight the bottom of San Francisco bay must present. A diver recently told of going down to the City of Chester, sunk many years ago at the mouth of the harbor by one of the large China steamers. He descended with a stout heart and a mind lured to the tragedies of the sea, but when he saw two sisters of charity sleeping quietly in their berths, and nearby a man on his knees, swaying back and forth with the motion of the tide, and a dim, mysterious light over all the somber objects, his heart failed him and he gave the signal to be hauled above. The San Rafael lies there, too. She went down in 1901, sent to the bottom by a collision with another steamer in the fog. The relentless tide runs over her cozy cabins and beautiful stairway, dark with the passage of time.

"IN WONDERLAND."



ILLOGICAL AS EVER

REPUBLICAN CONDEMNATION OF DEPOSIT GUARANTY IDEA.

In Their Platform the Plank Indorsing Postal Savings Banks Is Proof of Defects In Present Banking System.

It is probably unfortunate that the incorporation of the bank-deposit guaranty proposed in the Democratic platform has given that plan a political prominence which forbids discussion of it on its merits. Of Democratic origin, it is naturally repugnant to Republicans, and they argue against it, in characteristic fashion, with epithets rather than ideas.

As to the effect the adoption of the scheme would have on the banking business, only the prophets may talk with assurance. But when the Republicans denounce it as socialistic and unwarranted interference by the government, it is pertinent to remark that they have in their own platform, as Mr. Cowherd has pointed out, a plank indorsing postal savings banks. In his letter of acceptance Mr. Taft said in relation to this plank:

"The Republican platform recommends the adoption of a postal savings bank system in which, of course, the government would become responsible to the depositors for the payment of principal and interest. It is thought that the government guaranty will bring out of hoarding places much money which may be turned into wealth-producing capital."

Dismissing the confession contained herein that the present banking system is defective if it does not beget enough confidence to prevent such hoarding, it may be said that the opponents of the postal savings system argue shrewdly that the insurance by the government of deposits in the postal banks would make them so attractive that the savings banks, now usually state institutions, would be driven out of business and the $3,700,000,000 now deposited in them would find its way into the national banks, where it is planned to deposit the funds of the postal banks.

Thus the government would have a new and vast interest in the national banks which would pave the way for the ultimate passing of all the banks into the hands of the government. Certainly it would be a step toward centralization and contrary to Democratic principles, if it did not become actual government ownership and socialism, and, therefore, still more antagonistic to Democratic principles.

This is not to say that the deposit guaranty plan is good, bad or indifferent, or that the establishment of postal savings banks would be a grievous mistake. The merits of neither plan are the subject of present controversy. The point is that the Republicans have condemned a simple plan of doing a desirable thing and approved a complex plan of doing the same thing and so have made themselves logically and otherwise ridiculous, as usual.—St. Louis Republic.

Bryan and Kern.

If the winning ticket has not been named at Denver, it is certain that the ticket has been named there which will at least keep Taft and Sherman guessing until after the returns are counted on the night of the presidential election.

William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska and John Worth Kern of Indiana make up as strong a team as the Democratic party could have entered for the presidential race. It possesses the merit, somewhat unusual in recent elections, that the candidate for the vice-presidency has the confidence of his party so fully that no apprehension would be felt if he should be called to the presidency.

Taft and Tariff Reform.

The Republican platform calls for tariff revision. Mr. Taft says that this means increase of duties as well as a decrease. He also tells us that the panic of 1893 was caused by the Democratic tariff, which became law in August, 1894.

He must mean by this that the duties in that tariff were so low that they produced disaster to our industries. He must also mean that he would veto any tariff bill which called for such extreme reduction in taxes. Yet this was the bill which President Cleveland refused to sign because the reduction was so slight!

In the face of these facts how can any genuine tariff reformer support a candidate for president who thinks the Wilson tariff bill too extreme?

Sacrificing the West.

How much longer will it be before the west and middle west awake to the fact that from their standpoint the paramount issue of the present national campaign is the tariff? Why should the west keep on paying high prices for the enrichment of the eastern manufacturer?

PROMISED MUCH; DONE LITTLE.

Roosevelt's Talk for Taft Absurd Under Circumstances.

In his letter to Conrad Kohrs proclaiming Mr. Taft the heir to and joint partner of My Policies, Mr. Roosevelt said:

"The true friend of reform, the true foe of abuses, is the man who steadily perseveres in righting wrong, in warring against abuses, but whose character and training are such that he never promises what he cannot perform, that he always a little more than makes good what he does promise, and that while steadily advancing he never permits himself to be led into foolish excesses which would damage the very cause he champions."

In his speech at Indianapolis May 30, Mr. Roosevelt said:

"Whenever evil-doers can they shall be brought to justice, and no criminal high or low whom we can reach under the law will receive immunity."

What high criminals has Mr. Roosevelt succeeded in reaching? How many malefactors of great wealth are serving time in federal prisons? Haven't they all received immunity under the Roosevelt policy of government by denunciation?

Never before has the country had a president so given to promising what he could not or would not perform. Neither did it ever before have a president more given to "foolish excesses" which damage the cause he champions.

Mr. Roosevelt in his letter presents a very convincing picture of the kind of a president that Theodore Roosevelt is not.

Don't Forget the Tariff Issue.

In the outpouring of political argument from rostrum and sanctum one thing must not be lost sight of, and that is the tariff. Despite Speaker Cannon's perfervid declaration that he will never vote for any measure that advantages one American citizen more than another it is hardly to be hoped that he will undertake any tariff revision that may equalize commercial opportunities.

Special privilege exists by permission of the tariff and nonenforcement of the Sherman law. Republican speakers and editors loudly protest that the $29,000,000 fine against the Standard Oil Company was altogether just and reasonable, and demand its collection. But you don't hear one single small voice uplifted to demand a reduction of the 125 per cent tariff which protects this huge monopoly.

It is impossible to secure prison sentences for the officers of predatory corporations, and if they are fined we hear a wild outcry that the poor stockholder suffers.

Industrial independence is a preliminary essential to political independence. To secure industrial independence special privileges must be abolished.

Indiana in Democratic Column.

Indiana went Democratic in the Tilden election of 1876, when Thomas A. Hendricks of Indiana was the candidate for vice-president. It was Democratic in the election of 1884, when Hendricks was again the candidate for second place with Cleveland, and again in 1892, after the death of the lamented Hendricks, when Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois was the vice-presidential candidate with Cleveland at his second election. There is every reason to expect that it will go Democratic for Bryan and Kern this year.

Workers Not Protected.

The tariff tax is in almost every case in excess outrageously of the difference in wages here and abroad. The fact is that the American manufacturer, protected by the tariff which he would have us believe is to maintain high wages in America, allows his employe just what that employe is able to force him to pay, and not a penny more.

End Reign of Tariff Barons.

The Democratic platform declares that "material reductions should be made in the tariff on necessities of life, especially on articles competing with such American manufactures as are sold abroad cheaper than at home."

This means that American consumers, robbed remorselessly by eastern trusts, shall no longer be compelled to assist in their own robbery by maintaining tariff protection of the robbers.

Whatever else may be said of the platform, it cannot be denied that a strong appeal has been made to independent voters, particularly in the west, to vote for Democratic congressmen this fall and thus to end the reign of eastern tariff barons.

Senator Foraker admits that he received $29,500 from the Standard Oil Company, that it was pay for services, that the services were legal services, that he is a lawyer, and that—but what does an explanation amount to when the bald fact is that Foraker acknowledges receiving money from the oil trust and his reputation was none too good to start with?

From the State Capital

Items of Importance to Wisconsin People, Gleaned at Madison.

Madison.—The state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution elected officers and chose Waukesha as the meeting place for the next conference. Mrs. Ogden H. Fethers of Janesville was again nominated for the office of state regent. Election for this office will be made by the continental congress. Mrs. Frances Kempster, Milwaukee, vice-regent, declined a re-election and Mrs. Edwin van Ostrand, Antigo, was elected. Miss Carrie J. Smith, Fort Atkinson, was elected state secretary. Mrs. George F. Gilkey, Oshkosh, was re-elected state treasurer. The second day of the conference opened with the singing of the D. A. R. state song, "Wisconsin," by Mrs. Ione Gove Hawley of Waukesha. A lengthy report of the Wisconsin delegates to the continental congress was read. The sum of $355 has been contributed toward the erection of the memorial hall at Washington, D. C., by Wisconsin chapters. Nine "real daughters" are now members of the Wisconsin conference. The regents of the different chapters reported on the progress made during the year by their respective chapters. The Lake Mills daughters wrote and published a book of fiction, "A Little Puritan Maid," which was sold for the benefit of the chapter. The Waukesha chapter has received a legacy of $2,000 from a deceased member. The membership of the several chapters is as follows: Antigo, 24; Beloit, 45; Columbus, 29; Depere, 80; Fond du Lac, 53; Fort Atkinson, 130; Janesville, 76; Lake Mills, 38; Madison, 89; Marshfield, 16; Milwaukee, 228; Oshkosh, 125; Portage, 59; Plymouth, 30; Racine, 35; Reedsburg, 10; Stevens Point, 27; Waukesha, 37; Waupun, 36.

Senatorial Campaign Cost.

Senatorial expenses filed:

E. E. McGovern	$11,023 88
S. A. Cook	30,010 72
W. H. Hatton	1,078 85
Neal Brown	200 33
M. A. Hoyt	50

Former Congressman S. A. Cook of Neenah spent $30,010.72 in his effort to secure the nomination for United States senator on the Republican ticket. The detailed statement of Mr. Cook's expenses was filed in the office of the secretary of state at Madison and a duplicate copy was also filed in the office of the register of deeds of Winnebago county. Mr. Cook accompanied his statement with a letter to the secretary of state in which he said: "There is cause for even more than regret that it should become necessary for me to furnish so large an amount of money, as I believe I know how every dollar was earned. I also know how many worthy homes and institutions I could have assisted with the amount." The statement:

Received of S. A. Cook	$28,560 90
Maintenance of headquarters in Oshkosh and Milwaukee, including rent, telephone service and advertising in Milwaukee	7,653 61
Subscriptions to newspapers	60 51
Paid for organizing work in counties	7,308 90
Circulation of nomination papers	193 83
Expenses of workers in the state including railway fares, hotel bills, cigars, meals, etc.	7,687 12
Expenses of workers on primary day	213 30
Lists of names of voters	1,035 30
Advertising in newspapers and other advertising	2,599 18
Postage	1,351 79
Printing	172 10
Express charges	29 03
Total	$29,023 07

H. A. Cooper Spent $999.12.

H. A. Cooper of Racine, Republican candidate for congress, spent $999.12, according to expense accounts filed with the secretary of state. Other expense accounts filed were: Henry Krumrey, Plymouth, Republican nominee for assembly, $5; C. F. Stout, Westboro, defeated Republican candidate for assembly, $119.23; R. H. Dellap, Richland Center, defeated Republican candidate for state senate, $47.91; Congressman E. A. Morse, Antigo, $91.25; Andrew H. Dahl, renominated by the Republicans for state treasurer, $330.56; Douglas Anderson, defeated for the Republican nomination in the Seventy-ninth assembly district, $95; Amund P. Jerdee, former assemblman of Deronda, $166.25.

Churches in Convention.

The Baptist and the Congregational church denominations held their annual state meetings here. Several hundred delegates from all parts of Wisconsin attended the convention and the meetings of allied organizations. These are the Wisconsin Baptist Ministerial union and the Baptist Young People's union. The conventions opened Monday evening and closed Thursday evening, at the Wayside inn, Woman's building. The seventy-first annual meeting of Wisconsin opened Tuesday in the First Congregational church.

Patzer Is Candidate.

The first political gossip in connection with the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Teachers' association in Milwaukee on November 12, 13 and 14 was heard when a candidate for president was mentioned. Friends of Conrad E. Patzer, a teacher in the Milwaukee Normal school, will present his name to the convention as a candidate for president, and they will strenuously urge his election. They contend that it is the turn of the normal schools this year to furnish a president.

Money Spent by Hatton.

In a statement William H. Hatton declares that he spent $26,413.08 in his primary campaign for senator. Mr. Hatton's statement shows his disbursements in detail, the largest sums going to W. H. Dick of New London, C. F. Stout of Westboro, C. K. Lush of Madison and W. W. Powell of Milwaukee. According to his statement Mr. Hatton distributed through Mr. Dick over $6,000 in $1,000 amounts. Mr. Lush received about $200 a month and in the aggregate got some $3,300.

Exploit New Iron Mine.

An apparently valuable deposit of iron ore has been discovered on the farm of Ferdinand Zook in Clark county, four miles west of Spencer and about 12 miles from Marshfield, and active preparations are being made by local capital to work and exploit the mine. The ore deposit comes clear to the surface and the outcrop was discovered when the owner of the farm succeeded in breaking off a boulder to be used for building purposes. A 16-foot shaft has exposed about 400 tons of paying ore.

Reunion at Eau Claire.

The old Eagle company of the Eighth Wisconsin volunteers which in some way was the most distinguished that fought in the civil war, held a Grand reunion in this city. This is the company that carried through the war the tattered war eagle "Old Abe." This company was composed mostly of pinery boys from the vicinity of Eau Claire and 32 of them still survive. Seven members of the company met death under one tree at the battle of Corinth, October 3, 1862 and Capt Wolf at the time marked their names on the tree under which they fell. John F. Hill of Ashland was shot through the hips at this battle and found by his brother, Thomas J., who he was driving over the field with a wagon picking up the dead. John was the youngest member of the company, having enlisted when scarcely past 16 years of age. He is still enjoying good health.

Bid on Federal Work.

Bids were opened at Washington for the construction of the public buildings at Chippewa Falls. The bidders were as follows: Appleton Construction Company, Appleton, $85,800; George P. Keachie, Madison, $68,525; Wisconsin Construction Company, Chippewa Falls, $68,100; J. W. Miller, St. Paul, $66,000; William J. Brown Building Company, Chicago, $71,282; Northern Construction Company, Milwaukee, $69,745; Barnes Brothers, Hamilton, $74,000; General Construction Company, Milwaukee, $74,600; Paul Reiherd Company, Milwaukee, $72,000; Charles W. Grudelle Company, Harrison Brothers, Chicago, $77,450; Moore W. Daniel, Kokomo, Ind., $81,260; P. M. Hennessy Construction Company, St. Paul, $68,475; Herbert T. Hazleton, Chicago, $70,000.

To Retain Class Rush.

The efforts of President Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin to have a safe and sane class rush were knocked on the head when the student conference committee voted to retain the once committee voted to retain the lake rush. The lake rush is the feature of the annual clash between the sophomore and freshmen classes that appeals most to the bystanders. The president, with the faculty has always opposed it, however, claiming that it is dangerous to the health of the contestants. Time and again, he has endeavored to substitute a milder form of hazing. Previous to the opening of the university year this fall, he had redoubled his efforts. The decision means that once again the "freshies" will get their initiatory baptism.

Madison Has Church Conventions.

The Wisconsin Baptist state conventions were held here. Three distinct church bodies were in session: The Wisconsin Baptist state convention, the Wisconsin Baptist Ministerial union, and the Baptist Young People's union. There was an address by Austin K. de Blois, LL. D., of Chicago, on "The Orient." The Ministerial union opened with an address of welcome by C. J. Galpin, the response being made by the moderator, Edward Babcock of Eau Claire. The claims of the Baptist Ministers' Aid society were presented by Rev. J. S. Boyden, D. D., of Kalamazoo, Mich., Rev. W. B. Riley, D. D. of Minneapolis gave an address and Mrs. W. S. Bowen of this city sang.

Sheriffs Form an Association.

A score of sheriffs of the state held a meeting here to organize the Wisconsin Association of Sheriffs. Organization was effected by the election of Sheriff William R. Knell of Milwaukee as chairman and Sheriff D. E. Roberts of Racine as secretary. A committee on permanent organization was appointed, consisting of J. G. Rhymer of Oshkosh, W. W. Black-house of Baraboo and M. C. Durral of Monroe. The visitors held a banquet at the Capitol house. One of the purposes of the proposed organization is an amendment to the constitution of the state permitting the reelection of sheriffs for consecutive terms.

Watch Milday's Hat.

In an official opinion to the state game warden Attorney General Gilbert held that milliners of Wisconsin can offer for sale the plumage of birds that are not natives or habitants of Wisconsin. Attorney General Gilbert said that the bird of paradise is not a native bird of Wisconsin and to prohibit the sale of the plumage of that bird would be an unwarrantable exercise of the police powers of the state.

State Officers to Pay $500 Each.

Following a hurried conference with the state officers, in which the campaign in the state was outlined, Chairman E. A. Edmonds left for Milwaukee, where dates for a speaking campaign were arranged. Of peculiar interest is the fact that the candidates agreed to pay an assessment equal to five per cent. of their first year's salaries—$500. Every state officer, with the exception of Insurance Commissioner George E. Beedle, took the stump. The localities of the state were laid out in a hurry.

To Control Canneries.

If the declarations of the several food commissioners who held secret meetings here to promote a uniform enforcement of the food laws and co-operation among food officials of the states of the middle west are carried out, spurious food and unsanitary products will be swept from the market. One of the most pertinent resolutions adopted was that the several states should adopt laws to secure full and complete control of producing, manufacturing and distributing establishments and agencies.

Meet Next at Oshkosh.

The Wisconsin Funeral Directors and Embalmers' association chose Oshkosh as the next place of meeting. Seventy-six votes were cast for Oshkosh against 27 for Milwaukee. The following officers were elected: President, J. B. McLain, Marinette; first vice-president, B. M. Hoppenyan; second vice-president, Charles Truesdell; treasurer, W. F. Seacker, Appleton; secretary, Thomas B. Fleming, Eau Claire. J. H. Ragen, Grand Rapids, was elected a member of the executive committee.

CRANBERRY NOTES

Not a Competitor.

For months past there has been some talk to the effect that a company will be organized for the purpose of importing the Hugun berry from Sweden and prepare it for market in a manner to compete with the sale of cranberries in the United States. A prominent cranberry dealer writing this journal in regard to the question says he does not see how it is possible for the Hugun berry to offer serious competition to the American fruit. "I find that our strongest trade for the American cranberry," said he, "is among the Swedish settlement of the United States. These people seem to demand, and are satisfied with the American article, we believe even they will take the cranberry in preference to the Hugun." —New England Homestead.

THE LONG ISLAND CROP.

Only a Moderate Crop Expected—Worms and Dry Weather There Also.

S. H. Woodhull & Son of Riverhead, Long Island, writes as follows concerning conditions in that section:

In regard to cranberry conditions on Long Island, would say that we look for nothing more than an ordinary crop. The extreme dry weather and fire worms caused some damage, although our bog, we shall have a much larger crop than last season.

Spraying for fungus disease was done on two of the bogs this season for the first time. From our observation the spraying seems to have checked the disease wherever applied. Spraying for worms with Arsenate of Lead was also done to some extent this season.

We are now picking a large part of our berries with the "Banner" scoop, which works very nicely in our vines.

Picking will probably begin a little earlier this season than last. We will probably begin the latter part of this month.

Yours very truly,
S. H. Woodhull & Son.

Cranberry Men Organized.

Cumberland, Wis., Oct. 12.—Capitalists of this and other cities have just organized the North Wisconsin Cranberry company, with a general office in this city. The new company, which is capitalized at $600,-000, elected the following officers: President, Lewis Larson; vice presidents, John W. Hogan, J. T. Kendall; secretary, S. W. Hines, treasurer, Tom O. Mason; general manager, L. P. Haskins of Madison.

Considerable of the capital stock has already been sold and as soon as the weather permits the greater portion of the company's marsh will be placed under cultivation. The company owns a 1,000 acre marsh in the town of Casey, Washburn county.

Notice of Sale, on Foreclosure of Mechanics Liens.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of Wood County, Wisconsin, and under and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure of mechanic's liens duly rendered and entered in said court on the 20th day of August, 1908, wherein John son & Hill Company was plaintiff and ... Hinos and Helen Hinos, his wife, the Grand Rapids Hollow Concrete Wall Company, Kellogg Bros. Lumber Company, and Clark Snyder were defendants, whereby and whereby it was adjudged and decreed that all right, title and interest which the defendants ... Hinos and Helen Hinos, his wife, or either of them had in and to the premises hereinafter described on the first day of June, 1907, or which said named defendants or either of them and all persons claiming under them or either of them have since said day acquired of, in and to the premises hereinafter described, or so much thereof as might be necessary to satisfy the amount of liens according to the terms of said judgment together with costs be sold at public auction by and under the direction of the Sheriff of Wood County, to satisfy the amount thereby adjudged to be due to the plaintiff Johnson & Hill Company, and the defendants Grand Rapids Hollow Concrete Wall Company, Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co. and Clark Snyder amounting, exclusive of costs, to upwards of the sum of Five Hundred and Eighty (580) Dollars together with the costs as taxes and all subsequent accrued expenses and that the sheriff give public notice of the day and place of sale in the manner provided by law for the sale of real estate on execution.

Now therefore pursuant to said execution and judgment, I will on the 31st day of October, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the main or north door of the Court House in the city of Grand Rapids, in said Wood County, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situated lying and being in Wood County, Wisconsin, to-wit:—

Part of the North East quarter (N. E. ¼) of the South East quarter (S. E. ¼) Section No. Thirty five (35) Township No. Twenty-two (22) North, Range No. Five (5) East, more particularly described as follows: A piece of land bounded on the south by what is known as Lelondre Avenue being the street running from the mill of the John Edwards Manufacturing Company in the village of Port Edwards, said County, to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul depot in said village; on the west by the right of way of said Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, on the east by the right of way of the Wisconsin Central Railway; and on the north by a line parallel to said Lelondre Avenue, and 2?? feet distance from the North side thereof.

Dated at Grand Rapids, Wisconsin this 16th day of September, 1908.

I. T. Welch,
Sheriff of Wood County, Wisconsin.
W. E. Wheelan and Geo. L. Williams,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

9-16—10-21.

Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County—In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of James Roulian deceased.

Letters testamentary with the will annexed on the estate of James Roulian late of the town of Sigel, in said county of Wood, deceased, having been duly granted to Frank X. Pomainville by this court;

It is ordered, that the time from the date hereof until and including the 4th day of May, A. D., 1909, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time within which all creditors of the said James Roulian, deceased, shall present their claims for examination and allowance.

It is further ordered, that all claims and demands of all persons against the said James Roulian deceased, be examined and adjusted before this Court, at its Court Rooms in the Court House in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the first Tuesday of May, 1909, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time above limited for said creditors to present their claims and demands, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice, for four consecutive weeks, once each week, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in the County of Wood, the first publication to be within fifteen days of the date hereof.

Dated this 13th day of October, 1908.

By the court,
W. J. Conway,
County Judge

Geo. L. Williams
Attorney for Executor
10-14-11-4

Notice of Application for Proof of Will

Wood County Court—In Probate,
State of Wisconsin } ss.
Wood County }

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Helena Weresch, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Helena Weresch, deceased, late of the town of Sigel, Wood county, Wisconsin, has been filed in this office:

And Whereas, application has been made by F. A. Goedecke executor named therein praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law:

It is Ordered, that said application be heard before this Court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, Wood county, Wisconsin, on the 24th day of November A. D., 1908 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said county previous to said hearing.

Dated October 13th, 1908.

By the Court,
W. J. Conway, County Judge.

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Exceptional.

"Is he really a good violinist?"

"Yes, and an exceedingly remarkable one."

"In what respect?"

"His instrument is not a genuine Stradivarius.'"—Philadelphia Press.

Ripon Was Easy

The Ripon football team came to this city on Saturday and played a game with the local highschool team and the locals won the game by a score of 21 to 0.

When the crowd sized up the Ripon boys they thought it was going to be a close contest but after a few minutes of play it became evident that they stood no chance with the locals, who never failed to make advances when they had possession of the ball.

The locals made five touchdowns and kicked goal four times, which makes it evident that the ball was traveling their way most of the time. They played straight football all the time, and while there was no particularly spectacular work it was a steady victory for the home boys.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Council Rooms, October 6, 1908.

Council met in regular session, Mayor Pomainville presiding. Present Aldermen A. D. Hill, Bamberg, Sampson, Ellis, Parder, Roenius, Lukaseski, Gilmaster, Jackson, Ristow, Lyon and Payne, 12. Absent: Aldermen Steib, Briere, Rossier and G. M. Hill, 4.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Alderman Lyon of the street committee, to whom had been referred the matter of investigating the proposed plat of Hamm's addition, reported that the streets in the proposed plat do not connect properly with the streets in the surrounding land, and also that the plat had been withdrawn and that the owners of the land do not care whether or not the plat is approved.

On motion, the plat of the proposed Hamm's addition was referred to the City Attorney, he to look up the matter as to whether the city has authority to compel the owners to make the streets in said plat conform with the streets in the surrounding lands.

Alderman Jackson of the sidewalk committee reported that the sidewalk committee recommends that the sidewalk along Lot 10 in Block 2 of Subdivision of Fractional Lot 1 Sec. 17-22-6 East, and also along the north side of Lot 8 Block 8 of Wood's addition be ordered constructed. On motion, the report of the committee was adopted.

There was presented the petition of Alex Mindak, and 10 others, praying your honorable body to cause the water main to be extended on Grand Ave. eight blocks west from its present western terminus. On motion, the petition was referred to the waterworks committee.

There was presented the petition of D. D. Conway and 15 others, praying your honorable body to cause three lights to be located on Second street south of Vine street and, on motion, the said petition was referred to the committee on general business.

Alderman A. D. Hill requested that, if any more small lights are to be located, that in his opinion, one or two should be placed on Second street near the Catholic church.

On motion, by unanimous vote, the Clerk calling the roll, the following bills were allowed.

W. Hagerstrom	260 hrs. @ 17½c	$	45 50
W. Dickson & team	144 " " 35		50 40
Steil Jagodjinski & team	105 " " "		36 75
Ike Meddaugh	215 " " 17½		37 63
Louis Oporcul	120 " " "		21 00
Paul Paulson	245 " " "		43 88
Alfred Daughty	217 " " "		37 98
James Wheelock	217 " " "		37 98
F. MacKinnon & team	141 " " 35		49 35
Geo. Kiley	7 " " 17½		1 23
Matt Harzinski	73 " " "		12 78
Wm. Fahl	7 " " "		1 23
Bat O'Day & team	10 " " 35		3 50
Labor for Sept., west side Total		$	378 20
C. Hammenan	250 hrs. @ 17½c	$	10 25
Chris Thompson	245 " " "		42 88
J. Pinsonneau	250 " " "		43 75
Frank Henry	60 " " "		10 50
W. Goldberg & team	240 " " 35		84 00
H. Goldberg & team	230 " " "		80 50
Emil Kamps	110 " " 17½		21 70
John Rauth	130 " " "		22 75
G. Kruger & team	60 " " 35		21 00
Cal. Wood & team	40 " " "		14 00
Ed Manske	120 " " 17½		21 00
Dan Green & team	60 " " 35		21 00
Geo. Kiley	15 " " 17½		2 63
Paul Loock	10 " " "		1 75
Labor for Sept., east side Total		$	430 51
Wm. Fahl	95 hrs. @ 20c	$	19 00
M. W. Compton	55 " " 17½		9 63
Fred Loock	75 " " "		13 13
John Loock	60 " " "		10 50
Emil Kamps	65 " " "		11 38
Will Keyes	10 " " "		1 75
Ed Manske	100 " " 20		20 00
James Snyder	50 " " 17½		8 75
Chas. Bowen	86 " " "		15 05
Paul Semrow	10 " " "		
	39 " " 20		7 75
Alonzo Swift	10 " " 20		2 00
Alonzo Swift	86 " " 17½		15 05
Will Semrow	75 " " "		13 13
D. E. McGowan	70 " " "		12 25
Paul Loock	100 " " "		17 50
Lyman Kendall	70 " " "		12 25
J. Ferguson	20 " " "		3 50
Herman Voight	20 " " "		3 50
Frank Hunt	70 " " "		12 25
Ray Starr	55 " " "		9 63
George Loock	50 " " 5		2 50
Dan Green & team	3 " " 35		1 05
Claud Prance	45 " " 17½		7 88
J. Wuttrock & team	79 " " 35		27 65
Ed. Cloault	10 " " 17½		1 75
Martin Panter	30 " " "		5 25
George Kiley	90 " " 25		22 50
Labor on 8th St., Sewer, Sept. Total		$	286 53
A. Halm	250 hrs. @ 22½c	$	58 50
Louis Gustack	260 " " 17½		45 50
Paul Gustack	20 " " "		3 50
A. S. Norton	260 " " "		45 50
Julius Kock	120 " " "		21 00
George Withers	20 " " "		3 50
Peter Frohmen	208 " " "		36 40
John Kajawa	174 " " "		30 45
Frank Hunt	178 " " "		31 15
Matt Harzinski	12 " " "		2 10
E. Raymond	7 " " "		1 23
Ferd Frank	7 " " "		1 23
Zach Bennett	7 " " "		1 23
John Kostusiak	17 " " 20		3 40
W. Dickson & team	2½ " " 35		88
F. MacKinnon & Alfred Daughty	5 " " 17½		88
Labor on Cleveland St., Sewer, Sept. Total		$	288 20
Aug. Kraske	25 hrs. @ 17½c	$	4 38
Aug. Wittenberg	20 " " "		3 50
A. Burchell	30 " " "		5 25
Geo. Kiley	20 " " "		3 50
A. Swift	20 " " "		3 50
John Kostusiak	5 " " "		88
Ike Meddaugh	5 " " "		88
Labor on 4th Ave., waterworks Total		$	21 89
Herman Wadtke	260 hrs. @ 22½c	$	58 50
John Kostusiak	233 " " 20		46 60
Aug. Kraske	235 " " 17½		41 13
Aug. Wittenberg	195 " " "		34 13
John Pawloski	260 " " "		45 50
E. Raymond	189 " " "		33 08
Carl Nuetzel	210 " " "		36 75
Zach Bennett	129½ " " "		22 66
Ferd Frank	248 " " "		43 40
Peter Larson	95 " " "		16 52
Albert Wadtke	260 " " 5		13 00
Cal. Wood & team	14 " " 35		4 90
F. MacKinnon & team	25 " " "		8 75
S. Jagodjinski & team	3 " " "		1 05
W. Dickson & team	3 " " "		1 05
Alfred Daughty	28 " " 17½		4 90
Sames Wheelock	3 " " "		53
Wm. Fahl	153 " " "		26 78
Matt Harzinski	132 " " "		23 10
Geo. Kiley	58 " " "		10 15
A. Swift	102 " " "		17 85
Ike Meddaugh	20 " " "		3 50
Labor on 4th Ave., sewer, Sept. Total		$	498 81

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

The Plumber's Derby.

The compassionate citizen remarked to his plumber: "Gus, if I were a plumber and had to crawl into small nooks and corners, as you do, I'd wear a soft hat or cap. Why, your derby is full of dents." Gus replied: "I'd be a fool to wear a soft hat. This derby hat saved my head many a hard knock from pipes and beams. See, I have it packed with crumpled newspapers, which give me both inspiration and immunity."—New York Press.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

After Election Is No Time to Disclose the Tools by Which Wrongdoing May Have Been Promoted.

(Cincinnati Enquirer.)

Why cannot Chairman Hitchcock and Mack arrange a weekly or daily publication of all contributions and expenditures? That is the proper thing to do. Do it now! Commence at once! After the election it is too late! Let the people of the United States have full knowledge of what is going on in both parties in the way of receipts and expenditures. No money should be accepted tainted by pledge of patronage or legislative favor. No money should be expended for purposes that cannot be disclosed to the voters. Reputations of leaders will be saved and honor of candidates and parties preserved by open publication.

After the election is no time to disclose the tools by which wrongdoing may have been promoted. Publish the money transactions now and let the voters know their own party is pure and upright. Secrecy now has become the handmaiden of guilt in the minds of people.

"The Republican Plan of Regulating the Trusts."

In a speech in the west Mr. Taft told the people that if Mr. Bryan succeeded he would put trust-controlled articles on the free list, but that the Republicans would not do anything of the sort, but "the Republican plan of regulation is the proper remedy." The "Republican plan of regulation" has been in operation 12 years, with the result that under McKinley 127 new trusts were organized and under Roosevelt 107 new ones began business. If "the Republican plan of regulating" is proper, why do trusts multiply and why do they continue to practice extortion?

Treasurer Sheldon of the Republican National Committee says it is no one's business where he gets his campaign contributions. Is that why Stephenson has not filed his expense account?

The 6,000,000 voters who were for Bryan in two campaigns will be in line ready to extend a welcome hand to the recruits of 1908.

The old scheme to post bogus orders upon factory doors, resorted to by Republicans in two campaigns, will not work in this year of our Lord, 1908. The workingmen in those factories have been thinking four long years.

10,000 abandoned box-cars, thousands of abandoned engines with cabs boxed up, and thousands of school children going to school hungry are signs of the times which the Republican managers would put away from their sight.

At the water-ways convention in Chicago a reporter of a Republican paper was thus impressed: "Mr. Taft appeared calm, self-poised, a trifle aristocratic garbed in the conventional dress of the aristocrat, in keeping with the function and the audience, perhaps. Bryan seemed plain, soberly dressed, thoughtful, with the appearance of a man who has thought deeply, realized the importance of national problems, and is prepared to further their best side in the interest of a people of which he is the leader." What a lesson in that description for the voter who gives it a moment's careful consideration.

How jealous are some of the stand patters now of the Democrats, whom they accuse of standing for progressive measures, and of whom they can say truthfully that they have voted for reform measures when days were dark in Wisconsin.

Mr. LaFollette may speak in Wisconsin, but can he expect to gain votes for a party which he has openly repudiated, from voters who respected him when that repudiation was heralded far and near?

A Wisconsin Republican visited the headquarters of both big parties in Chicago this week. He came back a Bryan man. This is what he said,

"I went into the Republican headquarters, where I had always gone: expecting the same enthusiastic gathering, the same stream of volunteers. I found rooms empty except for clerks and managers and paid workers. There were few callers.

It was a machine made campaign. It was dry, cold-blooded, calculating, and had a suggestion of wheels turned by coins dropped into a slot.

I was surprised, and unusually depressed. Then I did something new, for me. Staunch Republican that I was, I walked over to the Democratic headquarters. I wanted to see how the other fellows, whom I reasoned were hopelessly in the minority, were running their hopeless campaign.

When I entered the first door I was astounded. Men brushed by me, crowded into doors, and I was in a turmoil. Desks were surrounded by anxious callers. Managers were besieged by men who said they were volunteers. They wanted literature.

"Give me Mr. Bryan's speech on bank deposits," they said. "Have you any printed copies of Bryan's speech on the tariff?" They were supplied, and went their way. Their places were taken by others, a steady stream from every door.

They were men of every walk in life, merchants, bankers, laborers, clerks, as I judged them. Here was life, purpose, enthusiasm. Here were men wanting to know the issues.

I said to myself that this was wonderful, in a lost cause. And I began to reason the thing out. It struck me that this was the voice of the people making itself known.

Half an hour later I applied for my handful of literature. An hour later I had digested it, beginning against my will, prejudiced, unbelieving.

I said coming home on the train to a man sitting near me: "I feel strange about it, but do you know for the first time in my life I am going to vote the Democratic ticket, I am going to vote for Bryan." The man put out his hand. "Same here," he said.

And since I came home I find that I am only one of the many recruits. The people seem to be for Bryan.

The Rev. Theodore Wood, a well known English authority on beetles, makes an interesting observation on a little beetle found frequently in the flowers of the primrose, but nowhere else, which is quite a mystery. It is small, brown and flat, and Mr. Wood remarks of it: "How its life is lived nobody knows. Where its eggs are laid, what the grubs feed upon, where the chrysalis be hidden, nobody knows. Nobody knows even why the perfect beetle gets into the primrose blossom."

General Election Notice.

Wood County, County Clerk's office Sept. 7th, 1908.

Sir:—A general election is to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts in said County, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday, being the 3rd day of November, 1908, at which are to be elected the officers specified herein in accordance with the substance of a notice received from the Secretary of State.

Thirteen electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

A Governor in place of James O. Davidson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of Januar, A. D. 1909.

A Lieutenant Governor in place of W. D. Connor, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A Secretary of State, in place of James A. Frear, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A State Treasurer, in place of Andrew H. Dahl, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

An Attorney General, in place of Frank L. Gilbert, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A Commissioner of Insurance, in place of George E. Beedle, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

CONGRESSIONAL.

A representative in Congress for the tenth Congressional District, consisting of the Counties of Iron, Vilas, Oneida, Forest, Florence, Langlade, Lincoln, Shawano, Marathon Taylor, Price, Ashland and Wood.

ASSEMBLY.

A member of Assembly, in place of G. R. Goldsworthy, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

COUNTY.

A Sheriff in place of Julius T. Welch, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A County Clerk, in place of Geo. W. Davis, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A Clerk of the Circuit Court, in place of A. B. Sever, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

Register of Deeds, in place of W. S. Powell, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

County Treasurer, in place of P. F. Bean, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

District Attorney in place of Ross E. Andrews whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A Coroner in place of Jacob Lusk, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

A County Surveyor, in place of William Corcoran, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1909.

GEORGE W. DAVIS,
County Clerk.

In accordance with section 1 of article XII of the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin, and chapters 238 and 661, of the laws of 1907, the following joint resolutions were adopted by the Legislature of the state of Wisconsin, at the regular session of 1907, are made a part of the foregoing notice, to-wit:

(No. 46 A.)

Joint resolution No. 13.

To amend section 10 article V of the Constitution, relating to the approval of bills by the Governor.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, that Section 10 of article V of the Constitution be amended by striking out the word "three" in line thirteen and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six" so that when so amended said section shall read as follows:

Section 10, every bill which shall have passed the legislature shall before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor; if he approves, he shall sign it, but if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large upon the Journal and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of the members present shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other House, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of the members present it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both Houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the Journal of each House respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the Governor within six days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him the same shall be a law unless the legislature shall, by their adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

(No. 22 S.)

Joint Resolution No. 18.

Providing for an amendment to section 10 article VIII of the Constitution relating to internal improvements.

Whereas, at the biennial session of the legislature for the year 1905 an amendment to the Constitution of this state was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two Houses, which proposed amendment was in the following language:

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that section 10 of article VIII of the Constitution, be amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Provided that the state may appropriate money in the Treasury or to be thereafter raised by taxation for the construction or improvement of public highways." Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that the foregoing amendment to the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin, be and the same is agreed to by this legislature.

(No. 47 A.)

Joint Resolution No. 25.

To amend section 1 of article III, of the Constitution, relating to electors.

Whereas, at the biennial session of the legislature for the year 1905 an amendment to the Constitution of this state was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two Houses, which proposed amendment was in the following language:

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, that sub-section 2 of section 1 of article III of the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended so as to read as follows:

2. Persons of foreign birth, who, prior to the first day of December, A. D. 1908, shall have declared their intentions to become citizens conformable to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, provided that the rights hereby granted to such persons shall cease on the first day of December, A. D. 1912.

Therefore, resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that the foregoing proposed amendments to the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin be and the same is agreed to by this legislature.

(No. 19 S.)

Joint Resolution No. 20.

Whereas at the biennial session of the legislature for the year 1905 an amendment to the Constitution of this state was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two Houses, which proposed amendment was in the following language:

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, that section 1 of article VIII of the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges, and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive and reasonable exemptions may be provided" so that when so amended said section shall read as follows:

"Section 1. The rule of taxation shall be uniform and taxes shall be levied upon such property as the legislature shall prescribe. Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and reasonable exemptions may be provided."

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, that the foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution of the state of Wisconsin be and the same is agreed to by this legislature.

Given under my hand and official seal at the capitol in the city of Madison this 5th day of August A. D. 1908.

James A. Frear,
Secretary of State.

State of Wisconsin } ss.
County of Wood }

To the Count Clerk of Wood County:

Pursuant to the above notice from the secretary of state notice is hereby given that at the general election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election precincts of the County of Wood and state of Wisconsin on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday, being the 3rd day of November A. D. 1908, the officers therein mentioned to be elected, and other questions to be determined will be voted for.

Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House in the city of Grand Rapid on the 7th day of September A. D. 1908.

Geo. W. Davis
County Clerk.
Wood County.

I am inclined to think that prior to 1483 the sword and not the ax was usually employed as the weapon for judicial decapitation and that a block was dispensed with, the victims receiving their doom "meekly kneeling upon their knees," and in this opinion I am fortified by the concurrence of an eminent clerical historian. This learned writer agreed with me that the ax did not become the "regulation" lethal implement until after the rough and ready "heading" of Lord Hastings on the Tower green, when he was summarily dispatched by order of the protector, Gloucester.

In this instance, according to the chroniclers, the victim's neck was stretched upon a piece of timber then in use for the repair of the adjacent church of St. Peter ad Vincula, probably a "putlog," part of the scaffolding which, we read, "conveniently lay in the way." Contemporary accounts seem to indicate that the executioner straddled over the prone body, and from this position I infer that the decapitation was effected by the tool known as an adz, the cutting edge of which is at a right angle to and not in a plane with the haft.

I may add that the only contemporary reference I have come across of the use or proposed use of an ax and block for inflicting capital punishment prior to this tragedy is in one of the Paston series of letters describing the peril of an unfortunate captive of Jack Cade's rebels (A. D. 1450), a generation before Lord Hastings was so clumsily hacked to death.—London Notes and Queries.

REMINGTON.

Conrad Myers of Wonewoc was a guest at the home of R. Hass several days last week.

Misses Agnes and Anna Keenan of Dexterville visited at the Lowe home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. Hass entertained relatives from Milwaukee and Nekoosa several days last week.

Mrs. A Hass was very sick last Saturday and Sunday but is better at the present writing

A dance was given at the cheese factory last Saturday night and all who attended enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Miss Meata Hass of Nekoosa is spending a few days at the parental home this week owing to her mothers not feeling very well.

John Karboskie has gone to Minnesota to join his brother and work on the Arpin dredge.

Mr. and Mrs Raiglag and children of Milwaukee were guests at the Sanger home the fore part of last week.

Death of Helen Werisch.

Mrs. Helen Werisch died at her home in Altdorf on Sunday after a brief illness at the age of 76. The funeral occurred on Tuesday from the Catholic church at Altdorf. Deceased is survived by several grown up children and had been a resident of that locality for many years. Her husband died several months ago.

—The Mahara minstrel band will give a street parade next Tuesday, and in the evening there will be a show at Daly's theater. Don't miss either one of them.

Potatoes Take a Big Drop

During a conversation with J. B. Mueller, manager of the A. S. of E. warehouse on Tuesday Mr. Mueller informed the writer that potatoes had taken a drop from 60 cents to 40 cents and that the market was very poor at that. Mr. Mueller says that one of the reasons are a bumper crop in Europe, which is being shipped into the east cheaper than they can be shipped from Chicago. Potatoes are at present laid down in New York for 63 cents per bushel, including the 16 cent duty.

The Mouse Trap.

"The child is father to the man," said an inventor. "For instance, there was a miller's son who invented, at the age of seventeen, an automatic mouse trap, a trap that used the recoil from one mouse's capture to set itself for another mouse. This trap worked well, caught eleven mice at the first go off and soon rid the miller's mill of its mice myriads. Well, sir, the boy inventor of that mouse trap used the trap's recoil principle for his greatest invention, the Maxim gun, for it is Sir Hiram Maxim I'm talking about, and if you go to the Maine village of Sangerville they'll show you there one of the automatic rapid firing mouse traps that presaged the famous Maxim gun."

—The very latest in the minstrel business will be seen at Frank Mahara's minstrels at Daly's theater on the 20th.

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Big Fur Sale!

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Thursday, Oct. 15th

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